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Classmates:

Here is your Twelfth Class Report. If you find it uninteresting or otherwise not satisfactory, bear gently with me. I have tried to do my best, and it is said that angels can do no more.

I regret the mistaken modesty of those of you who have furnished me but meagre information of yourselves and your doings of the last five years. I am grateful to those of you who have been more confiding.

We welcome in this Report for the first time as a brother alumnus William Story Sargent, who left us sophomore year to fight the battles of our country in the War of the Rebellion. Twelve, alas, have fallen out of our ranks during the last five years: Bent, Brinckerhoff, Chace, T. M. Clark, Danforth, Farnham, Harris, McKim, Skillings, W. P. Stoddard, Taylor, T. F. Wright.

To the number of our children is added David Greene Haskins, 3d. Our grandchildren are getting to be as numerous as the sands of the sea.

Once more let me thank you for all your kind letters and other expressions of regard, and wish all health and happiness to you and yours.

Charles E. Stratton,

Class Secretary.

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NAMES OF THE CLASS

The names of those who did not receive a degree of A.B. with the Class are printed in *italics*.

Abbott, Samuel Appleton Browne
Abercrombie, Daniel Putnam
Apthorp, John Vaughan
*Arnold, Francis Benjamin 1906
*Bangs, Elisha Dillingham 1900
Banker, Benson Beriah
Batchelor, George
*Bent, George Conway 1909
**Bigelow, George Tyler* 1907
*Blaikie, William 1904
Blair, Henry Gorham
Blake, William Payne
Boutwell, Henry Thatcher
Bowen, Holder Borden
*Brewer, John Dominis 1879
*Briggs, Joseph Emmons 1867
*Brigham, Charles Brooks 1903
*Bright, Nathaniel Francis 1880
*Brinckerhoff, Henry Waller 1909
Brown, Edwin Clarence
*Brown, Frederick John 1900
Buswell, Henry Foster
*Capen, Edward Augustus 1905
*Carpenter, Francis Augustus 1867
Carpenter, James Emerson
Case, Albertson
Cate, Albion
*Chace, George Frederick 1910
**Chamberlin, Henry Harmon* 1864
*Clark, Edward Henry 1885
*Clark, John 1870
*Clark, Theodore Minot 1909
*Coppenhagen, John Henry 1900
Crowninshield, Frederic
Curtis, John Green
*Dabney, Frederick 1892
*Danforth, Allen 1909
Derby, Samuel Carroll
Dickinson, Edward Brown
Dixon, Lewis Seaver
Drone, Eaton Sylvester
Dunbar, Alexander Donley
Dwight, Thomas
Emerson, Edward Waldo
*Emery, George Frederic 1873
Farlow, William Gilson
*Farnham, Edwin 1911
**Farquhar, David Webber* 1905
Fenno, Edward Nicoll
Fiske, Amos Kidder
**Fiske, Charles* 1876
Flagg, George Augustus
Forbes, James Murray
*French, Samuel Quarles 1872
Gale, Justin Edwards
Garland, James Smith
Goodman, William Austin
*Gray, Francis Calley 1903
Greenleaf, Eugene Douglass
Greenleaf, Richard Cranch
Gregg, James Bartlett
**Harrington, Edward Johnston* 1877
*Harris, Francis Augustine 1911
Haskell, William Abraham
Haskins, David Greene
**Hatch George Harsha* 1865
Hawes, James William
Hayes, William Allen
*Holden, Artemas Rogers 1884
**Irons, Alfred Brayton* 1894

* Deceased.

*Jones, Claudius Marcellus 1892
Kettell, George Adams
Ladd, William Jones
**Lawrence, Nisbet* 1868
Leonard, Amos Morse
*Leonard, Otis Liscome 1903
Littlefield, George Emery
**Locke, William Newhall* 1865
Longstreth, Morris
*Longworth, Nicholas 1890
Loud, John Jacob
*Lovering, James Walker 1895
McBurney, Charles
*McKim, Haslett 1908
Mason, John James
Mayer, Henry Christian
Murdock, Lewis Champlin
*Nelson, Thomas 1897
Norton, John Leonard
Osgood, George Laurie
*Otis, Robert Mendum 1886
Parker, James Oscar
*Parker, William Levi 1888
Peabody, Robert Swain
Peirce, Edward Foster
Perkins, Edward Cranch
Perry, Thomas Sergeant
*Pratt, George Greenleaf 1890
Putnam, James Jackson
Robinson, George Francis
*Rolfe, Henry 1895
Sargent, William Story
Shaw, Thomas Pierpont
Shortlidge, Swithin Chandler
*Skillings, William Edward 1910
Smith, Frank Matson
*Stackpole, Stephen Henry 1886
*Stafford, Marshall Paddock 1904
Stoddard, Francis Russell
*Stoddard, William Prescott 1910
Storey, Moorfield
Stratton, Charles Edwin
*Tate, Henry Marshall 1897
*Taylor, John Ward 1908
Thorndike, John Larkin
*Tiffany, William George 1905
**Tower, Charles Bates* 1909
**Tudor, Frederic* 1902
Underwood, Melvin, Augustus
Vinton, Alfred Clarence
Virgin, Samuel Henderson
Ward, Thomas Wren
Wate, Theodore Murray
Watson, John Henry
Welles, George Derby
Wellett, Charles
Wheeler, Leonard
*Whittemore, John Marshall 1893
*Wilkinson, Edward Tuckerman
Willard, Joseph Henry [1873
Williams, John Davis
**Wingate, Abbott Pomeroy* 1865
Wright, Edmund Wentworth
*Wright, Frank 1903
*Wright, Theodore Francis 1907

Whole number, 135. Number of those who graduated with the Class, 113, of whom there are living 67.

* Deceased.

ADDRESSES OF THE CLASS

Samuel A. B. Abbott, Villa Lontana, via Cassia, Rome, Italy.
Daniel P. Abercrombie, Turner's Falls, Mass.
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Henry G. Blair, 5507 Winthrop Avenue, Chicago, Ill.
William P. Blake, 27 Kilby Street, Boston.
Dr. Henry T. Boutwell, Manchester, N. H.
Holder B. Bowen, 15 Charles Field Street, Providence, R. I.
Henry F. Buswell, 518 Tremont Building, Boston.
James E. Carpenter, 79 Wall Street, New York City, N. Y.
Albertson Case, Southold, Suffolk Co., N. Y.
Albion Cate, 1358 Kenwood Park Place, Chicago, Ill.
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Dr. Lewis S. Dixon, 232 Clarendon Street, Boston.
Eaton S. Drone, Zanesville, O.
Alexander D. Dunbar, 517 St. James Street, Peekskill, N. Y.
Dr. Thomas Dwight, 235 Beacon Street, Boston, or Harvard Medical School.
Dr. Edward W. Emerson, Concord, Mass.
Prof. William G. Farlow, 24 Quincy Street, Cambridge.
Edward N. Fenno, 87 Milk Street, Boston.
Amos K. Fiske, Century Club, 7 W. 43d Street, New York City.
George A. Flagg, 12 Ashburton Place, Boston.
Justin E. Gale, Weston, or 53 State Street, Boston.
James S. Garland, Concord, Mass.
W. Austin Goodman, 1619 First National Bank Bldg., Cincinnati, O.
Eugene D. Greenleaf, 237 Berkeley Street, Boston.
Dr. Richard C. Greenleaf, Lenox, Mass.
Rev. James B. Gregg, c/o Bemis Bros. Bag Co., 40 Central Street, Boston.
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David G. Haskins, Jr., 7 Buckingham Place, Cambridge, 10 Tremont Street, Boston.

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William A. Hayes, 2d, 204 Sears Building, Boston.
George A. Kettell, 50 Congress Street, Boston.
Amos M. Leonard, 24 Vernon Street, Newton, Mass.
George E. Littlefield, 67 Cornhill, Boston.
Dr. Morris Longstreth, 1416 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
John J. Loud, 87 Commercial Street, Weymouth, Mass.
Dr. Charles McBurney, 38 E. 31st Street, New York, or Stockbridge, Mass.
Dr. John J. Mason, Newport, R. I.
Rev. Henry C. Mayer, 108 S. 21st Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
Lewis C. Murdock, 51 E. 78th Street, New York City.
John L. Norton, 460 McLemore Avenue, Memphis, Tenn.
George L. Osgood, c/o Brown Shipley & Co., London, England.
James O. Parker,
Robert S. Peabody, 53 State Street, Boston.
Edward F. Peirce, 66 Cornhill, Boston.
Edward C. Perkins, Sears Building, Boston.
Thomas S. Perry, 312 Marlborough Street, Boston.
Dr. James J. Putnam, 106 Marlborough Street, Boston.
George F. Robinson, Kennebunk, Maine. Box 75.
William Story Sargent, 360 High Street, West Medford, Mass.
Dr. Thomas P. Shaw, 110 18th Street, Lowell, Mass.
Swithin C. Shortlidge, Media, Pa.
Francis R. Stoddard, 198 Montague Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Moorfield Storey, 53 State Street, Boston.
Charles E. Stratton, 70 State Street, Boston.
John L. Thorndike, 53 State Street, Boston.
Melvin A. Underwood, Custom House, Boston, and 39 Falmouth Street, Boston.
Alfred C. Vinton, 19 Milk Street, Boston; and 417 Main Street, Winchester, Mass.
Thomas W. Ward, c/o C. B. Perkins, Perkins Street, Jamaica Plain, Mass.
Rev. John H. Watson, 51 West 75th Street, New York City.
George D. Welles, 29 Rue Octave Feuillet, Paris, France.
Dr. Leonard Wheeler, 12 Chestnut Street, Worcester, Mass.
John D. Williams, 160 State Street, Boston.
Edmund W. Wright, Old Orchard, Maine.

John V. Apthorp, 88 Tremont Street, Boston.
Edwin C. Brown, 658 Massachusetts Ave., Boston.
Edward B. Dickinson, Surrogate's Court, Brooklyn, N. Y.

J. Murray Forbes, 107 Commonwealth Ave., Boston, or Milton, Mass.
William J. Ladd, Sears Building, Boston.
Charles Ouelett, Hebertville, Lake St. John, Quebec
Rev. Samuel H. Virgin, D.D., 249 Lenox Ave., New York City.
Colonel Joseph H. Willard, U. S. A., Newport, R. I.

RECORD OF THE CLASS

June, 1906 — June, 1911

SAMUEL APPLETON BROWNE ABBOTT. Born 1846.

He has continued to live at Rome, with yearly visits in the summer to his family home at Wellesley Hills, Mass. He writes: —

"Wisdom increased, I hope; hair grayer, and teeth less, I am certain. Otherwise I am the same bad penny."

DANIEL PUTNAM ABERCROMBIE. Born 1844.

He has continued to live at Turner's Falls, Mass., and to perform the duties of Cashier of the Crocker National Bank.

*FRANCIS BENJAMIN ARNOLD. Born June 25, 1844. Died at Rome, Italy, February 5, 1906.

*ELISHA DILLINGHAM BANGS. Born at Brewster, Mass., September 29, 1844. Died at Winchester, Mass., September 19, 1900.

BENSON BERIAH BANKER. Born 1843.

He has continued to decorate and cheer the office of the Class Secretary, and finds much pleasure and comfort in cultivating his garden and the acquaintance of his grandsons. The only drawbacks to his happiness are the ill temper of the Secretary and the malignant machinations of the crafty cutworm. (P) His daughter Adelaide was married to Dr. Frank R. Sedgley, September 25, 1906.

GEORGE BATCHELOR. Born 1836.

He has continued as editor of the *Christian Register,* having his business office in Boston, and residing at Cambridge as

before. The following editorial notice appeared in the *Christian Register* of April 20th last:

"The near approach of the editor's seventy-fifth birthday, which occurs on the 3d of July next, makes it seem appropriate to inform the supporters and friends of the *Christian Register* that on that date his resignation, now on file, will take effect. He has never done his work with greater ease or cheerfulness than at the present time; but a due regard for the coming on of old age and a decent respect for the traditions and opinions of his fellow-men make this course seem desirable. His valedictory will be reserved for a later time, when he hopes to pay a proper tribute to the many helpers and faithful friends whose efficient service has made possible whatever success has attended his labors."

* GEORGE CONWAY BENT. Born at Boston, July 11, 1844; died in Germantown, Pennsylvania, October 4, 1909, at the home of his only child, Bessie Conway (Bent), wife of Herbert L. Clark, Harvard, '87.

George Conway Bent was born of a long New England ancestry, his father's people having been for generations useful, self-respecting, and respected citizens of South Boston, their family possessions including large estates, facing upon the beautiful shore, now so conventionalized that much of the former charm of sea and land has disappeared. By his mother's line, he was nephew of Cornelius Conway Felton, President of the College and of the class of 1827, and of Samuel Morse Felton, class of 1834, who was among the earliest of New England Railroad Presidents, and who, just prior to the Civil War, went to Pennsylvania to become President of the Philadelphia, Wilmington, and Baltimore system, and who, during the war, conducted the administration of that important and almost sole means of railroad transportation between the North and Washington with devoted patriotism and with singular executive ability. This service led Mr. Felton to secure associations with his Massachusetts kindred, and, among others, Bent's

father went to Philadelphia and afterward removed there with his family.

After graduation in 1866, George Bent entered the service of the Pennsylvania Steel Company, one of the pioneer enterprises in this country in the manufacture of Bessemer steel, its plant established at Steelton in the suburbs of Harrisburg, in which city, on December 12, 1872, he married Ellen Rutherford Foster, daughter of General John Foster, descendant of an ancient Pennsylvania family. So Bent's affections, associations, and business ties held him away from New England, to which, thereafter, he made only occasional visitations, though his fealty was never impaired, or his loyalty or love diminished.

The upbuilding of a great industrial enterprise upon the banks of the Susquehanna, the subduing of wide malarial marshes, the construction of vast furnaces and rolling mills, and the foundation and administration of a city of mechanics, engaged his absorbed and constant attention, from which, until he severed his connection with the Company in 1884, he seldom emerged. He rarely met his classmates or his college acquaintances of former days. His life, largely because of the remote field of his activity, became a secluded one, bounded by the environment and interests of the conservative characteristic conditions of an inland Pennsylvania community. Here he made warm friends, and was admitted to intimate and affectionate affiliation with social relations, largely confined to an intercourse between families which had for generations held their estates by inheritance from their ancestors, who had originally settled at this gateway of the Alleghanies.

As the years passed, his life became more and more associated with that community into which he had come. His business duties required continuous residence near their performance, and held him more and more closely within that horizon which bounded river and hills and the smoking chimneys of a constantly expanding enterprise. He retained, nevertheless, an ardent love for New England, loyalty to her institutions, and a filial regard for his college, though often in good humored jesting he would refer to the maternal discipline he

had there experienced, laughingly asserting that the solicitous affection of his alma mater had been laid upon him with a conscientious but heavy hand.

With his marriage and the birth of his child, and the absorbing happiness of his home, he cared less and less for wandering and sought fewer outside interests or recreations. His friends were very close to him. Nothing gave him greater pleasure than to greet them within his own doors, and to extend the peculiar charm of that generous hospitality for which the homes of Harrisburg are deservedly famed. He read good books, was keenly concerned with current public affairs. He was a kindly philosopher, but loved to temper a general good will to all men with shrewdly witty comment on their conduct. Few had greater accomplishments in conversation or greater charm of manner than he possessed. With delightful humor and surprising flash of gentle irony, he kept all who talked with him alert and fascinated. One never saw a languid or dull company where he sat.

He had no ambition to gain wealth or to attain conspicuous position. He was universally respected and liked by all whom he admitted to friendship, but he preferred a few friends rather than many acquaintances. He was excessively modest in his estimate of his own capacity. He had no taste for the competitions of life which entailed any exploitation of himself, and so he lived in a degree secluded from most of the excitations, even stimulants, of our ordinary eager lives; but those who knew him best held him in secure and happy affection, to which he responded with the utmost generosity of friendship. He was sternly honest in his every view of life and conduct, his standard of integrity was the ideal of the community that knew him.

The employments of his later years were inconspicuous. He held no public office and sought none. He was invited to assume the duties of Chief Clerk in the office of the Superintendent of one of the great divisions of the Pennsylvania Railroad at Harrisburg, and to act as General Agent in that department.

And so, happily, modestly, and honorably, as becomes a true-hearted, high-minded man, he lived without the clamor of popular praise in his ears, without the display of conspicuous attainments in the world of affairs, but held, without question, the respect of all who knew his sterling virtues, and the love of all who realized the worth of his own sincere affections. His home life was simple, gracious, cordial, and serene; the guest came gladly and departed eager in the hope of return.

And so the years, uneventful as we ordinarily estimate them, passed onward, until his wife, so long his friend, companion, and wisest adviser, stricken by illness, was called from him and left him desolate. Deprived of that closest and dearest association of his life, which no other relation could in any wise restore, himself in ill health, he withdrew more and more from his former intimacies, save that of his daughter and her family, and died at her home, leaving tender and strong memories of affection and respect cast far more widely among those who had known him than he, in his modesty, had ever realized.

* WILLIAM BLAIKIE. Born May 24, 1843, in York, Livingston County, New York. Died in New York City, December 6, 1904.

HENRY GORHAM BLAIR. Born 1843.

He has continued to live in Chicago, whither he went on retiring from business, to be with his son and grandsons.

WILLIAM PAYNE BLAKE. Born 1846.

He has continued to live and practise law at Boston. He writes: —

"I have continued my professional work and management of trust property, and still find them interesting and satisfactory."

HENRY THATCHER BOUTWELL. Born 1844.

He has continued in the practice of medicine at Manchester, N. H.

HOLDER BORDEN BOWEN. Born 1844.
He has continued to live at Providence, R. I.

* JOHN DOMINIS BREWER. Born at Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, July 30, 1845. Died at Honolulu, July 12, 1878.

* JOSEPH EMMONS BRIGGS. Born in Dighton, Mass., April 6, 1842. Died at Burlington, Ia., May 4, 1867.

* CHARLES BROOKS BRIGHAM. Born in Boston, January 17, 1845. Died in San Francisco, August 24, 1903.

* NATHANIEL FRANCIS BRIGHT. Born at Watertown, Mass., July 22, 1844. Died at Cambridge, Mass., July 8, 1880.

* HENRY WALLER BRINCKERHOFF was born May 22, 1845, at Sing Sing, now Ossining, N. Y.

He was the eldest son of Isaac Brinckerhoff, Medical Director, U. S. N., and Mary Gordon (Waller) Brinckerhoff.

His ancestry on his father's side was Dutch, and on his mother's, English and Scotch.

The family of Brinckerhoff was among the earliest of the settlers, coming from Holland to this country in 1638, and many descendants of the name in this and the neighboring states represent the vigor of this stock, members of which took part in our revolutionary and subsequent wars. The Scottish Gordons have figured largely in history, and one of the name, General James Gordon, great-grandfather of the subject of this memoir, was present at the Battle of Bennington.

Mr. Brinckerhoff's father served in our Civil War, and he himself, while yet a student, served three months in the 12th unattached Company of Massachusetts Vol. Militia.

Henry Waller Brinckerhoff's early years were spent in Cam-

bridge, Mass., where he obtained his education at the Latin School, Harvard College, and the Lawrence Scientific School of Harvard University. His first work was as an assistant in the civil engineer's office at the U. S. Navy Yard, Brooklyn, N. Y., and in 1869 he was appointed a Civil Engineer in the Navy and was stationed at the same yard. There he served for some time, constructing quay walls and other work connected with the navy yard. Upon leaving that post he was appointed, January 1, 1870, Principal Assistant Engineer on the Jersey City Water Works under the late John F. Ward, and in that capacity he designed the pumping machinery and made the plans for high service and new reservoir, also supervising sewer construction and other municipal work.

With the late Samuel E. McElroy he was engaged upon the Kings County town survey, and afterwards made a hydrographic survey of the Passaic River from Newark to Rutherford Park for the late Gen. John Newton, U. S. Engineer, Hon. Mem. Am. Soc. C. E. In 1874 he was engaged with Messrs. Davidson and Mars, contractors for the heating arrangements and elevators in the New York Post Office Building, his work being the designing and erection of the telescopic elevators for that building. Mr. Brinckerhoff remained for some years with this firm, and was afterwards engaged for a short time in steam heating work for Wyllys H. Warner. In the autumn of 1877 he took charge of constructing the foundations of the Gilbert Elevated Railroad from Grand Street to Morris Street, under the chief engineer, the late William F. Shunk; performed other work in connection with that structure, and the following year inspected the shop work for the Ninth Avenue "joint structure" elevated railroad. In June, 1879, under the direction of Maj. Geo. W. McNulty, Mem. Am. Soc. C. E., Mr. Brinckerhoff designed and inspected the construction of iron street bridges in the Brooklyn approach of the East River Bridge, the first bridge across the East River, now officially named "The Brooklyn Bridge."

He resigned his position on this work in 1881, in order to take charge of the building work of the New York Steam Co.,

under the late Charles E. Emery, Mem. Am. Soc. C. E., engineer and superintendent for said company, where he designed and superintended the erection of the large boiler station on Greenwich Street, N. Y., and after this work was finished he assisted the late Jas. B. Eads, Mem. Am. Soc. C. E., in his plans for the proposed ship railway across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, Mexico. Then, for some time, Mr. Brinckerhoff was managing editor of the *Technical Journal, Engineering Record,* and in 1889 made the earliest report on the failure of the South Fork Dam that caused the destruction of Johnstown, Pa.

When the plans for the Broadway Cable Railroad were to be made, Mr. Brinckerhoff was called by Maj. Geo. W. McNulty, Mem. Am. Soc. C. E., chief engineer for that enterprise, to take charge of the office work, and he remained in that position until the road was completed and put into operation, then entering into practice as a consulting engineer, being so engaged until illness compelled a cessation of his active labors shortly prior to his end. His death was caused by an arterial affection which assumed a serious phase in the last few months of his life.

A characteristic of Mr. Brinckerhoff's work was a thoroughness noticeable in every one of his undertakings. In his practice as consulting engineer, his advice was sought in regard to the foundations of the Johnston Building, situated at Broad Street and Exchange Place, other heavy buildings in New York City, and various works in this vicinity.

Mr. Brinckerhoff's professional experience was in the lines of both civil and mechanical engineering. He was most patient and considerate in his dealings with all who came into contact with him, while his honesty and candidness made him outspoken whenever occasion required. His, too, was a kindly and sympathetic nature with deeply religious sentiment. For a long time he was a deacon of the Central Congregational Church in Brooklyn, N. Y., and he took much interest in all missionary work. To the stranger from distant foreign countries he gave a welcome, with often timely assistance. His church will feel his loss greatly.

Mr. Brinckerhoff was President of the Bedford Dispensary and Hospital of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Vice-President of the Congregational Club of Brooklyn; a member of the Holland Society and of the Masonic Order. He became a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers November 7, 1883. He married, at Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 25, 1866, Edith Adelaide Barry, who died April 19, 1897. Her loss, and that of his eldest daughter, wife of Rev. Winthrop B. Greene, three years later, were heavy blows which left their lasting effect upon him.

A son, Henry Gordon Brinckerhoff, and a daughter, Mrs. Herbert G. Hanford, survive him. He was a loyal friend and genial companion, and those who asked advice of him received cheerful hearing and sincere counsel. He took great interest in the early history of his native state, and, as it was natural that he should, especially in the period of the Dutch occupation. On the lighter side of his temperament, he will be remembered among his acquaintances for the possession of a fund of humor and store of varied information. His patience and serenity never forsook him in his closing days, and his passing away was peaceful and painless.

The foregoing is a copy of a memoir prepared for the American Society of Civil Engineers. The Secretary will only add that Brinckerhoff left our Class in May, 1864, and entered the Army. He was given his degree of A.B. in 1909. He always bore his classmates in faithful and fond remembrance, and we shall miss at our reunion his kindly and genial presence.

* FREDERICK JOHN BROWN. Born in Baltimore, Md., March 11, 1846, and died in Baltimore, June 9, 1900.

HENRY FOSTER BUSWELL. Born 1842.

He has continued to reside at Canton, Mass., engaged in the practice of the law in Boston and kindred pursuits, with some legal authorship.

* EDWARD AUGUSTUS CAPEN. Born in Boston, March 19, 1844, and died at North Tonawanda, N. Y., February 4, 1905.

* FRANCIS AUGUSTUS CARPENTER. Born in Foxboro, Mass., May 26, 1843. Died in Foxboro, December 7, 1867.

JAMES EMERSON CARPENTER. Born 1843.

He has continued the practice of the law in New York City.

ALBERTSON CASE. Born 1843.

He has continued to live at Southold, Suffolk County, N. Y., and to practise law and surveying — "Just living along, quietly and comfortably."

ALBION CATE. Born 1845.

He has continued to reside and practise law in Chicago. He writes:—

"Your favor of the 1st inst. is a pleasant reminder that I belong to the Old Harvard, the Harvard of Lowell and Fresh Pond, and the Old Boston, the Boston of Robert Gould Shaw. I regret that I may not meet the fellows Commencement Eve and walk the 'Long Path' in a New England June.

> Grow old along with me,
> The best is yet to be,
> The last for which the past was made.

"Thank you for your faithful and friendly note. Just now my place is here."

* GEORGE FREDERICK CHACE. Born at Taunton, Mass., April 14, 1845.

He attended the Grammar School at Taunton and the Taunton High School. After graduation he taught school in Massachusetts and other New England States, and also in the State of New York. In 1888 he was appointed Clerk of the Water Commissioners at Taunton, and in the following year he re-

ceived the additional appointment of Superintendent of the Water Works, served on the School Committee at Taunton for several years, and was at one time Chairman of the same. He was married February 24, 1870, at Chatham, Mass., to Patia A., daughter of Patia H. and the late Captain Enoch H. Howes. They had two children, Blanche Rosamond, born August 26, 1871, and Frederick Irving, born April 12, 1874. He was Past Master in the Free Masons and Past Noble Grand in the Odd Fellows. The last years of his life he was engaged in teaching and in newspaper work. He died at Taunton of pneumonia February 24, 1910.

H. P.

* EDWARD HENRY CLARK. Born in Cincinnati, Ohio, July 10, 1843. Died in New York City, April 13, 1885.

* JOHN CLARK. Born at Boston, August 1, 1844. Died at Cambridge, Mass., July 22, 1870.

* THEODORE MINOT CLARK. Born 1845.

Theodore Minot Clark died at Boston on April 30, 1909, after a painful illness which he endured with patience and fortitude through six long months.

He and his ancestors before him were New England people, tracing their descent from Hugh Clark, who came to Watertown in 1640. His father and many other relatives were graduates of Harvard College, and our classmate after school days at the Waltham and Cambridge High Schools entered college with us in 1862. He was of an extremely modest and retiring nature and with his brother roomed at home in Cambridge until near the end of the senior year. Hence he was not conspicuous in the activities of the Class, but he was a scholar of high standing, the friend of all, and a welcome member at the Pi Eta Society, then in its early days. After teaching for a time, he at last found his real vocation, and in 1870 he was starting an architectural practice, at first in New York

and later in Boston. From 1876 onwards he contributed editorial and other articles to the *American Architect,* and attained a high rank as a writer upon professional topics. From 1882 to 1889 he was Professor of Buildings and Architecture in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Later, while practising his profession in Boston, he found time to write and publish several serious works. His "Building Superintendence" went through fifteen or more editions, and his "Architect, Owner, and Builder before the Law" was also very successful. He was a valued member of, and filled various offices in, the Boston Society of Architects and the American Institute of Architects.

Of late years the subject of municipal improvement has been widely discussed in this country. He gave energy, time, and research to it, and his studies for the improvement of the port of Boston were the most suggestive that had been made up to that time. His information was so full and varied, and he presented it so clearly and illustrated it with such charming drawings that even those who did not agree with his conclusions found in his papers illumination and incitement to further investigation. The near future will doubtless see great changes in our Port, and even if they are not just what Clark pictured, they will be due in no small degree to his initiative and his urging at a time when others were not interested and were idle.

Clark was married in 1879 to Jeanette, daughter of Austin B. and Sarah Jane (Atkins) French of Boston. They had one son and two daughters. The first grandchild was born in January of this year in Washington.

The Class may well be proud of our comrade's career. He was a great student and his mind was stored with useful information. He was modest, reticent, and gentle, though living in the midst of a noisy pushing world. His nature was observant, but he kept in the background and was never self assertive. In spite of these becoming traits he was, like a true son of New England, anxious to be of public service, and he proved himself able to make his knowledge of frequent and material use to this community. R. S. P.

* JOHN HENRY COPPENHAGEN. Born October 8, 1842, in Dorchester, now a part of Boston. Died at Portsmouth, N. H., August 31, 1900.

FREDERIC CROWNINSHIELD. Born 1845.

The Secretary regrets that by a misunderstanding the answer to his letter comes not from our classmate, but from his son. He writes me that his father is Director of the American Academy in Rome, and in September, 1909, left America for Italy, where he has since resided.

JOHN GREEN CURTIS. Born 1844.

On June 30, 1909, he retired from active duty as Professor of Physiology at Columbia University, with the rank of Emeritus Professor of Physiology therein. He has since changed his residence in New York City to 401 West 118th Street, and he has "a small place for summer use at Chatham, Barnstable County, Mass."

* FREDERICK DABNEY. Born in the Island of Fayal, August 9, 1846. Died at Boston, July 24, 1892.

* ALLEN DANFORTH. Born 1842.

Allen Danforth died at the Parker House, Boston, of angina pectoris, on the eighteenth of July, 1909, in the sixty-fourth year of his age.

The first ancestor of Allen Danforth to settle in New England was Nicholas Danforth, who reached Cambridge in 1634, coming from Suffolk County, England. He founded a family which has been continuously represented in Cambridge to the present day. His son Samuel was born in England, graduated at Harvard College in 1643, became a Fellow and a Tutor of the College, and a minister at Roxbury, Mass. This Samuel had a son Samuel, who graduated at Harvard College in 1683, and became the minister at Taunton, Mass., where three generations of his descendants remained. The fourth and fifth generations from the Taunton minister lived at Plymouth,

Mass., where Allen Danforth was born on the fifth of January, 1846, his father's name being James Allen, and his grandfather's Allen. Allen Danforth of the Class of 1866 was therefore the first of his family to go to college since Samuel Danforth of the Class of 1683. The intermediate generations were not professional but business men; his grandfather was for many years the treasurer of the Plymouth Savings Bank.

Allen Danforth's mother was a Jackson, a direct descendant of Abraham Jackson who came to this country from England in 1621 in the ship "Fortune."

Allen Danforth went through the public schools of Plymouth, and was prepared for college at the Plymouth High School under Admiral Pascal Stone, who was at that time principal of the school. He entered Harvard College at the July examinations in 1862, and had a good college career as a steady worker and successful scholar. Since he was only sixteen and a half years old when he entered college, no question arose about his going to the war at that time, and the war (1861-1865) was over three months before the end of his junior year. His grandfather paid all his college expenses. When he graduated he had not decided on any profession or other occupation, although he had thought of studying medicine. In the winter of 1867, being twenty-one years old, he left home, and went into business at Helena, Mont., which was then the roughest sort of mining camp. There he remained for nearly five years, becoming the superintendent of the mining and milling operations carried on near Helena by the National Mining and Exploring Company of New York. All this time his life was in high degree arduous and adventurous, because of the roughness of the men employed by his company, the wildness of the country, and the barbarous character of the settlement. In September, 1872, he left Montana and returned home to Plymouth, where he was employed as clerk in the Plymouth Savings Bank.

In the summer of 1874 Edward W. Hooper, who had been Steward of the College for two years, resigned because he did not approve of the plans for carrying on a dining hall for

students in Memorial Hall. While the Corporation were actively in search of a new Steward, Professor Henry W. Torrey and Miss Torrey his sister — both of whom were well acquainted with Plymouth and its people — hearing one evening from the President what sort of man he wanted for Steward, advised him to inquire about young Allen Danforth, who was a clerk in the Plymouth Savings Bank, and both expressed the opinion that Danforth was well fitted for the place the Corporation wished to fill. The President's inquiry brought him to the same conviction, and Allen Danforth was appointed College Steward in the fall of 1874, the word "College" being prefixed to the former title "Steward" in order to distinguish the office from that of the steward of the dining hall.

In this position, which he held for fourteen years to the entire satisfaction of the Corporation, Allen Danforth became familiar with all the business of the Corporation in Cambridge, with its collections and disbursements, with the care of the College real estate in Cambridge, with the pecuniary relation of all the Cambridge departments to the central treasury, and with the proper application of all the funds held by the Corporation for the benefit of the Cambridge departments. He made many simplifications and other improvements in the methods of his office during a period when the work of the office increased rapidly in amount and in complexity. During this period many improvements were made in the heating and lighting of the College buildings and in the care of the College grounds, and the whole service of the dormitories and public buildings was reorganized. In 1875 Mr. Danforth's title was changed from College Steward to Bursar, this title having occurred in the Charter of 1650, where it is said that the College "shall be a Corporation consisting of seven persons, to wit, the President, five Fellows, and a Treasurer or Bursar." The word "Treasurer" having been used from the beginning for one of the members of the Corporation, the word "Bursar" was utilized in 1875 as the title of another important financial agent of the University.

Mr. Hooper, the predecessor of Mr. Danforth in the office

of Steward, having become Treasurer in 1876, the two men soon came to feel the utmost confidence in each other, and this mutual regard increased as the years passed. Accordingly, when in 1888 the Treasurer felt the need of a confidential assistant in his office, the Corporation, at Mr. Hooper's request, appointed Allen Danforth to be Deputy Treasurer, and this office he held for ten years, when he was transferred to the new office of Comptroller.

In 1898 Treasurer Hooper gave Mr. Danforth a letter of introduction to Sir John Scott, then holding an important office in the Egyptian Department of Justice, in which the following passage occurred: "Mr. Danforth goes to Egypt and to Italy for a much needed vacation, after more than twenty years laborious and very valuable service to Harvard University, as Bursar and as Deputy Treasurer. He is now the Comptroller of the University. He has more varied and accurate knowledge of our affairs than any man living, unless it be President Eliot. If such matters interest you I am sure that you will be glad to talk to him. Personally, you will find Mr. Danforth the best kind of a New England Puritan of the old stock, fearing God, and keeping his powder dry only for the wicked, and such game as the laws of the land allow him to shoot."

The duties of the Comptroller were to surpervise the accounts of the Treasurer's office, to see that the income of every fund was applied to its proper purpose, to make up the annual statement of the Treasurer, to advise the Corporation concerning expedient changes in the accounts and the annual statement, to keep fresh the history of the University's trust funds, and to bring to the notice of the Corporation any deeds, votes, or declarations which ought to have influence on their present action. These varied duties Allen Danforth performed with signal fidelity and success. In the President's Report for 1905-06 this passage occurs:

"Allen Danforth, Comptroller, resigned his office in November, 1905, the resignation to take effect on the first of March following. The President and Fellows felt obliged to accept Mr. Danforth's resignation in accordance with his request,

although they felt keenly the consequent loss to the University. Mr. Danforth was Bursar from 1874 to 1888, Deputy Treasurer from 1888 to 1898, and Comptroller from 1898 to 1906. In each of the offices he held, he set a new standard of efficiency, brought about progressive improvements in the accounts, archives, and annual statements of the University treasury, and manifested not only the most conscientious exactness in the performance of stated duties, but great devotion in discovering and assuming new tasks which needed to be done. Mr. Danforth knows more about the history of the University property, and about the records of gifts and of the financial acts of the Corporation than any other living person; and since the period of his service has been one of unprecedented property enlargement, his knowledge of this subject is much more extensive than anybody could have had before."

In accepting his resignation the Corporation passed the following vote: —

"That Mr. Danforth be requested to continue his researches concerning the University property and records, to make use, at his convenience, of this office, and to continue to give the Corporation the benefit of his unique knowledge of their archives and accounts."

Since Mr. Danforth had been in the service of Harvard University nearly thirty-two years, he was eligible for a pension from the Carnegie Foundation. This pension he enjoyed for the rest of his life.

On October 21, 1899, he was married at Putnam, Conn., to Mabel Irene Walsh, daughter of Frederick Walsh and Ann Dorothea (Goodwin) Walsh of Brantford, Ontario.

From 1875 to 1893 Allen Danforth lived at 7 Wadsworth House; but in the latter year, being Deputy Treasurer, he moved to Boston, where he lived until September, 1900, when he moved to Weston, Mass., where he lived for nearly two years, and then bought a small farm at Harvard, Mass.

In the spring and summer of 1906 Mr. and Mrs. Danforth spent five months in England, chiefly on the Cornwall coast and in Devonshire. Returning home in the autumn of 1906, he

opened the house at Harvard and stayed there till after Christmas. The remaining months of the winter were, however, spent in the vicinity of Boston, Mr. Danforth going daily to the Treasurer's office. The next summer was spent in England and Scotland, October in Petersham, Mass., and the winter again in the vicinity of Boston. The summer of 1908 was spent on the farm at Harvard, and the following winter in travel through the Canadian Rockies and British Columbia, and thence to California with prolonged stops on the way. In March, 1909, while Mr. and Mrs. Danforth were in South Carolina, he suffered a serious attack of heart weakness while playing golf on the links at Camden. Careful treatment restored him sufficiently to enable him to come North in April. His only sister died suddenly early in May; so that Mr. Danforth spent that month and the month of June in Plymouth settling her estate. Then followed a brief stay in Canada, and a return to Boston in the second week of July. At Camden Mr. Danforth had been told by his physician that he must make no sudden exertion, and must avoid fatigue; but he had not been made aware of the serious nature of his disease. In May, in describing to a friend the restrictions under which he lived, he said, "I am told that I must not get tired, or even lift a heavy book, — this ledger, for example." At the Parker House, in July, where he had stopped on his way to his farm, his condition became decidedly worse, and his strength failed rapidly. The physician who was called in told him, at his earnest request to be informed about his condition, that he was suffering from angina pectoris. He died peacefully on the eighteenth of July.

His life was quiet and inconspicuous, and he has left no heirs, and no permanent contributions to human knowledge; nevertheless, his was a life of the most satisfactory quality; for it was honorable, refined, full of intellectual interests, faithful in friendship and in duty, and highly serviceable to a lasting and beneficent institution. His modesty and natural reserve led him to conceal countless generous acts for the promotion of individual welfare, which were deeply appreciated by those whom they most concerned.

C. W. E.

SAMUEL CARROLL DERBY. Born 1842.

He has continued to reside at Columbus, Ohio, and to serve as Professor of Latin in the Ohio State University, located in Columbus.

He writes: "Before our Forty-fifth Anniversary I shall have completed 30 years of service in this University. In that period the University has multiplied more than ten fold in number of students, in buildings and equipment, and in income. I have taken much satisfaction in contributing even in a small way to this growth. The work has been agreeable, and the companionship both congenial and stimulating. 'The lines are fallen unto me in pleasant places.'"

LEWIS SEAVER DIXON. Born 1845.

He has continued to live in Boston and to practise there at his profession as an oculist.

EATON SYLVESTER DRONE. Born 1842.

He has retired from business and has been living in New York City and Zanesville, Ohio.

ALEXANDER DONLEY DUNBAR. Born 1846.

He has continued to be Superintendent of Schools at Peekskill, New York.

THOMAS DWIGHT. Born 1843.

He has continued to live at Boston during the winter, and at Nahant, Mass., during the summer. He underwent a surgical operation in August, 1909, but this and the continuance of the conditions which called for the operation have not interfered with his work of directing the Department of Anatomy at the Harvard Medical School.

EDWARD WALDO EMERSON. Born 1844.

He has continued to live at Concord, Mass. He writes: —

"I have pursued my life as a villager and singularly unskilful farmer in our town, now growing more and more suburban. For the past few years I have been engaged, with the

assistance of my nephew, Waldo E. Forbes, in editing the journals of my father. This task may require two more years to complete. I have the privilege of serving the Town on several committees, especially the School Committee. In summer I move with my family to my little house in Jeffrey, N. H., on the southern slope of Monadnoc. Four years ago my younger daughter, Florence (Mrs. Gerrit Forbes), died, leaving two little girls who have illuminated our home until the end of May, when the elder was taken away by sudden sickness. In May, 1909, my elder son, William Forbes Emerson, was suddenly taken away in the first year of his active and forceful life by pneumonia. My elder daughter, Ellen, and my younger son, Raymond, remain.

"Mrs. Josephine Shaw Lowell, Colonel Robert Shaw's sister, allowed me the privilege of editing the letters of her brave and high-minded husband, Brigadier General Charles Russell Lowell, and writing a sketch of his life, which was published in 1907. This year, in addition to my work on my father's journals, I have the pleasure of being associated with Moorfield Storey in preparing a life of Judge E. R. Hoar, to be published in the autumn. I hope to meet my classmates at the Dinner and at Commencement, and so will say no more, except to send kind greetings to those of them who may not be able to be there."

* GEORGE FREDERIC EMERY. Born in Paris, Me., April 29, 1845. Died in San Francisco, December 20, 1873.

WILLIAM GILSON FARLOW. Born 1844.

He has continued to live at Cambridge, Mass., and to carry on his work as Professor of Cryptogamic Botany at Harvard.

EDWIN FARNHAM was born September 6, 1842, in Philadelphia, where his father, Benjamin Armstrong Farnham, was the head of the Dry Goods Commission house of Farnham, Kirkham & Co., with his home at Beverly, N. J., on the south bank of the Delaware River. He is of New England descent

on one side, the Farnhams having held title from the Indians to land in Andover, Mass., where his father was born. His mother, Lydia Raguet Harper, on her mother's side was Huguenot and on her father's, English, and both Philadelphia families of consequence.

He was at the Phillips Andover Academy for a while, but studied for a year with Mr. G. W. C. Noble at Cambridge and entered Harvard as a freshman in 1862. Fond of athletics he rowed bow in the college, now varsity, race with Yale on Lake Quinsigamond in 1865.

During the last three years of his college course he lodged at Withey's on Story Street and boarded at Evan Brown's with a club enrolling Perkins, Nelson, Longworth, Hayes, Greenleaf, Emery, Wright, Abbott, Mason. He was a member of the Institute, Natural History, and Hasty Pudding.

After graduating he entered the Medical School of the University of Pennsylvania and took the degree of M.D. in March, 1869. When he entered college and thereafter until 1873 his home was at Beverly, N. J. On June 4, 1867, he was married at Cambridge by Rev. Dr. Andrew P. Peabody to Caroline Bell Emery, daughter of James W. and Martha E. (Bell) Emery, formerly and subsequently of Portsmouth, N. H., but then residing in Cambridge.

After a brief visit to Dublin in 1869 for the purpose of pursuing the study of medicine he returned to commence the practice of his profession in Philadelphia, whence he removed to New York for a year and then in 1875 returned and opened an office in Cambridge where he continued to reside to the end. After a few years of family practice his interest was awakened to a more congenial side of his profession. In 1881 he delivered a successful course of lectures at Harvard College on Health and Strength under appointment by the President and Fellows. In 1889 he was appointed Medical Inspector for the Cambridge Board of Health, which position he held until two years before he died, when he was incapacitated by ill health. He wrote the Annual Reports of the Board and his tabulation of statistics of health were accurate and accepted

as authority. He established the diphtheria hospital during an epidemic in 1889, and was made its superintendent. Later when small-pox broke out in Cambridge he was the one to whom all turned for advice and assistance in providing a suitably isolated hospital, and of that he was made superintendent. In 1900 he received a medal, being the first prize at the Exposition Universelle Internationale at Paris for a presentment of the best form of "Vital Statistics," and up to his severance of connection with the Board of Health, the Cambridge reports on vital statistics were considered models of their kind.

A reticent man with strong convictions and possessing the courage of them he expressed himself with point and, if the occasion called, with cutting sarcasm, quite regardless of the recoil. He had too much of integrity and candor in his makeup ever to dissimulate or cultivate indirection and was outspoken in his criticisms, yet he rarely made enemies because of the acknowledged justice of his strictures and their entire freedom from viciousness or rancor. A sweetness of disposition, great tenderness and gentleness of manner and feeling endeared him to family and friends.

A keen taste for English literature and history with a ready and retentive memory, which enabled him to quote freely, while always a pleasure to those around him, became an agreeable relaxation in later life. During the last decade or two he found in the critical study of Shakespeare the greatest enjoyment.

He had more than an average endowment of the intellectual faculties and more than the average of character. The friendships he made were strong, enduring with love and respect throughout life. He fought the battle of life uncomplaining, with the grim fortitude of the Puritan stock whence he came, and yet with a cheerfulness that made no useless repinings. An idealist with a poetic temperament, he found the ways of the world lacked harmony with his views of life. His standards of thought and action looked over the heads of those with whom he came most in contact in business affairs and he was not always estimated at his true worth. His life was

an open book with nothing to conceal and much to admire — a strengthening tonic to those within its influence.

For two years he suffered, mainly from hardening of the arteries, and died suddenly on April 16, 1911, at his home.

He buried his wife in August, 1910, after forty-three years of sympathetic and mutually sustaining love. Two children survive: Lydia Raguet, who married Arthur Pierce Butler, Harvard class 1888, with two children now living; Edwin Emery, who married Florence Cheney of Belmont and has three children, of whom the boy gives promise of becoming an athlete, and is called by his mates "Farny."

His body lies beside his wife in her family lot at Portsmouth. W. E.

EDWARD NICOLL FENNO. Born 1845.

He has continued to live at Falmouth, Mass., in the summer and at Boston in the winter.

AMOS KIDDER FISKE. Born 1842.

He has continued to live in New York City, and writes: —

"The story of my last five years is brief, but I fear I shall not be able to get on for that Quadraginta-Quinquennial. The chief officer of our craft has gone abroad and will not be back until late in July, and I shall have to be on deck every week day except legal holidays in his absence. If by any providential interposition I can arrange to be away those two precious days, I will let you know. If I cannot come, I hope I may be cordially remembered by all the fellows of the finest class that ever graduated at dear old Harvard. I have continued steadily in my position as leading editorial writer for the *Journal of Commerce* since the beginning of 1903 — note the correction of the error of date in the last Class Report. One other thing I have done as the result of many years' study of the Scriptures in spare hours and days of rest, as appears in a book published a couple of months ago with the title 'The Great Epic of Israel.'"

GEORGE AUGUSTUS FLAGG. Born 1845.

He has continued to live at Holliston, Mass., and to be Secretary and Treasurer of the Calumet and Hecla Mining Company and its subsidiaries, with his office at Boston. His son, Henry Whiting Flagg, died September 29, 1909.

* SAMUEL QUARLES FRENCH. Born in Amesbury, Mass., September 1, 1845. Died in Hornellsville, N. Y., May 27, 1872.

JUSTIN EDWARDS GALE. Born 1843.

He has continued to live at Weston, Mass., and to be Treasurer of the Brookside Mills of Knoxville, Tenn., and of the Lanette Bleachery & Dye Works of West Point, Ga. To the question of deaths of wife or children he says, "None, thank Heaven! (That means no deaths; it does not mean no wife or children; also, thank Heaven.)"

JAMES SMITH GARLAND. Born 1842.

He writes from Minneapolis: —

"Your circular has found me in this thriving western city where I have been sojourning during the past six months. I will try to answer briefly your inquiries.

"During the past five years I have continued to reside in Concord, Mass. My time has been chiefly taken up with the management of my school there, but I have also engaged, more or less, in the practice of my profession, the law, and have written a law book, 'Massachusetts Town Law,' published in 1908. This latter task occupied the better part of five years, and leads me to remark that, judging by my experience, the financial returns from authorship are in inverse ratio to the amount of time and labor expended upon it. I ought perhaps to mention that for about three years of this period I had charge of the Russian vice-consulate at Boston.

"I am happy to be able to report a clean bill of health and a new grandson, William Howard Garland, Jr., born at Allston, Mass., on April 9, 1911.

"My permanent address is still Concord, Mass.

"I am sorry that I have nothing better to offer as my contribution to the Class Report, which I always await with great interest.

"'Eheu! fugaces, Postume, Postume, labuntur anni,' says the immortal Horace. Alas! Who can appreciate the words of the poet better than the aging members of the Class of '66? But 45 is not quite as bad as 50. So let us keep up a brave heart. Here's hoping we may all be there to answer at the next roll-call!

"With thanks and kindest regards to you personally and cordial greetings to all who may gather at the reunion of the Class next month."

WILLIAM AUSTIN GOODMAN. Born 1845.

He has continued to reside and practise law in Cincinnati. He writes he has "lost no wife or children; unusually careful about such things. Have no information of interest to our classmates; only the thought that I would like to see them oftener. Of course I am coming to that long-named anniversary dinner, if I can get rid of what the doctor kindly calls rheumatic gout, though I think it is plain rheumatism, so that I can eat and drink with my former enthusiasm."

* FRANCIS CALLEY GRAY. Born in Boston, September 5, 1846. Died in Boston, February 13, 1904.

EUGENE DOUGLASS GREENLEAF. Born 1844.

He has retired from business and continues to live in Boston in the winter and at the Mt. Pleasant House, White Mountains, in the summer.

RICHARD CRANCH GREENLEAF. Born 1845.

He has continued to live in Lenox, Mass. The Class will share the Secretary's regret that he will be unable to be with us Commencement on account of illness.

JAMES BARTLETT GREGG. Born 1846.

He has continued to reside at Colorado Springs, Col., as Minister of the First Congregational Church there until the middle of June, 1909. He was acting pastor of the Lawrence St. Church at Lawrence during the illness of their pastor from September, 1909, to September, 1910. He was similarly employed in South Framingham, Mass., from that date to April, 1911. At present he is residing at Boston, supplying again the same pulpit in Lawrence during the illness of its minister, now recently deceased. Harvard made him a Doctor of Divinity at Commencement, 1906. He writes: —

"My seven children having successively come back to eastern Massachusetts and seeming likely to settle in this part of the country, and having had one year's experience of living 2000 miles away from them all, we decided to give up our parish in Colorado Springs and get back among the children. So I gave up my work there in June, 1909. Being, however, in vigorous health, while not taking any permanent pastorate, I have had only two disengaged Sundays during the two years and have enjoyed keeping busy and being near my children and six grandchildren very much. Appropriating Dr. Holmes's jest on the occasion of his son Judge Holmes's elevation to the Massachusetts Supreme Bench — when the new *Lampoon* building was finished, I laid claim to being invited to the dinner on the ground that I was the only living man who had ever spanked three editors of the *Lampoon*.

"I expect to spend the rest of my days in or near Boston. I 'm mighty glad to get back to her after almost forty years' absence. My chief satisfaction is that I have been privileged to add four Greggs to the Quinquennial and my chief hope that in the centuries to come there may be scores of them whose names shall be inscribed there."

* FRANCIS AUGUSTINE HARRIS. Born 1845.

Francis A. Harris was born in Ashland, Mass., March 5, 1845. He was educated at Westminster Academy, Mass., later in the schools of West Cambridge and in the Boston Public

Latin School. In college he took good rank in scholarship and in outdoor sports. After graduation he studied medicine with his father at Arlington, Mass., and at the Harvard Medical School. After serving as Sub-Master of the Boston Public Latin School he resumed his medical studies, and received the degree of M.D. from Harvard in 1872, and thereafter practised medicine in Boston. In 1877 the office of Medical Examiner was created in Massachusetts, and he was made Medical Examiner for Suffolk County, which office he retained for many years. He was also Professor of Surgery at the Boston Dental College, and demonstrator of medical legal examinations at Harvard, and editor of the Massachusetts Registration Reports, containing the vital statistics of the State. In 1874 he was married to Alice Gage of Mobile, Ala. She dying, in 1891, he was married to Helen Leonard, who survives him. He died January 18, 1911, at Winthrop, Mass., where he had made his home for many years.

During the years that he held the position of Medical Examiner he gained a wide reputation in many criminal trials. His ready wit and keen answers have more than once proved the discomfiture of attorneys who have pressed their cross-examination of him as a witness beyond the proper limits. He was from time to time a contributor to the newspapers on medico-legal subjects, and his discussion of the Maybrick case, which appeared in the Boston *Herald*, was a most able and forcible presentation of the doubts shared by many, both in this country and in England, of the guilt of that unfortunate woman, whose subsequent release from imprisonment would seem to justify the view which he took of the case.

Dr. Harris possessed great versatility. He was learned without pedantry. He was skilled in his profession, and in his office of Medical Examiner, which he held for many years, found ample opportunity for the exercise of his skill. His service there was of great public value in promoting, as he did, as one of the first medical examiners of this state, the substitution of expert opinion for the methods which had formerly characterized the ancient office of coroner. He achieved success also

as a writer of short stories and, as he preferred to characterize it, an adapter of plays. "Chums," originally written for the Pi Eta Society, of which he was a member, was produced on the professional stage, and "My Son" had a successful run at the Boston Museum, in which the late William Warren found a most congenial part.

With broad humanity, he made friends readily. At the same time he was sensitive, and felt keenly what may have seemed to him an unjust criticism. But he was without resentment, and whatever faults were to be found in him came from his peculiar temperament and not from his heart.

His last days were clouded by what he believed to be a grave misunderstanding of his action and his motives in the Tucker case. There is no doubt that he did only what he conceived to be his duty. If his conclusions resulted in an error of judgment, it may fairly be claimed that these conclusions were affected by his too sensitive nature and kind heart and the fear that he was some way responsible for what, as he had come to view it, was a grave injustice.

He will be remembered not by the sadness which embittered his latter days, but by the cheerful good fellowship which was the predominant trait of his character.

W. A. H., 2D.

WILLIAM ABRAHAM HASKELL. Born 1845.

He writes: "I spent the last five years wandering about the world in search of health, with a fair amount of success and much benefit." He still resides at Alton, Ill.

DAVID GREENE HASKINS, JR. Born 1845.

He has continued to reside at Cambridge and to practise law in Boston. He writes: "I was married April 30, 1907, at Dorchester, to Miss Amy Webster Field, of Dorchester, daughter of the late Pearson Howard Field, and of Mrs. Caroline (Stone) Field. A son was born to us, January 26, 1910, David Greene Haskins, 3rd, who at the age of one day, received a certificate of membership in the Anti-Imperialist

League, and who has also received a beautiful silver porringer from classmates of his father of the Class of 1866. Also a postal card from our classmate Hawes, containing a picture of the Pyramids, mailed from Egypt, and inscribed: 'From the oldest structure in the world to the youngest member of '66.'"

JAMES WILLIAM HAWES. Born 1844.

He writes from Baden-Baden: "I regret very much that I cannot be present at the dinner, which I believe will be the first class dinner I have missed. I wish you would give my love to all the youths present. I shall be with them in spirit, and expect to be with them bodily five years hence. I continued the practice of the law in New York until May 1, 1910, when I retired, and since then I have been experiencing the *dolce far niente,* which I find by no means unenjoyable. The summers of 1908 and 1909 I spent in Europe. In November last I came over to the Mediterranean, and after a short stay on the Riveira passed the winter in Egypt. A part of April was spent in Greece. From Greece I came here and shall spend the rest of the summer in Paris and England, returning to New York in September. For the past two years I have been a member of a committee appointed by the Association of the Bar of the City of New York for the improvement of the judicial procedure of the State. In the *New England Historical and Genealogical Register* for April, 1911, will be found an article by me on 'The English Ancestors of Edmond Hawes of Yarmouth, Mass.'"

WILLIAM ALLEN HAYES. Born 1843.

He has continued to reside at Cambridge and practise law at Boston, and to perform, to the acceptance of the Court, the Bar, and the community at large, the duties of United States Commissioner for the District of Massachusetts. After 35 years of continuous service in the First Corps of Cadets in the Militia of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, he was retired as a Lieutenant-Colonel. He can now be seen on his Sabine

farm in the character of Cincinnatus, at any time between daybreak and breakfast, and all day Sunday while the light holds, through the season, sometimes at the plow, sometimes with other agricultural and horticultural implements. In confidential moments he has confessed that next to "Fair Harvard" and the "Star Spangled Banner" he prefers to carol the words of the ancient ballad.

> "Sometimes I reap, and sometimes I sow,
> And sometimes a-hedging and a-ditching I must go."

* ARTEMAS ROGERS HOLDEN, Jr. Born in Boston, August 31, 1844. Died in Boston, March 15, 1884.

* CLAUDIUS MARCELLUS JONES. Born February 22, 1845. Died January 23, 1892.

GEORGE ADAMS KETTELL. Born 1846.

He has continued to live in Brookline, Mass., and to be engaged in the business of real estate and trusts in Boston.

AMOS MORSE LEONARD. Born 1840.

He has continued to reside in Newton, Mass., and to be Master of the Lawrence School, South Boston, and to receive, at intervals, from his grateful pupils and the Alumni of the School, gold watches and also gold eagles, with occasional showers of morris chairs, books, and silk umbrellas. He writes: "I am completing my forty-fifth year of service in the Boston Schools. Forty-three years and three months of this service have been in the Lawrence School — thirty-nine years as Master. At the end of this school year I shall be retired on a pension with the title of Master Emeritus. The graduating class is giving a large portrait of myself to be hung in the school hall." His classmates will agree with him that "such expressions of kindly feeling are most gratifying, and the memory of them will gladden my heart as the years pass by."

*OTIS LISCOME LEONARD. Born in Marshfield, Mass., October 13, 1842. Died in Marienburg, Germany, May 11, 1903.

GEORGE EMERY LITTLEFIELD. Born 1844.

He has been living in Cambridge, and he has carried on his business as bookseller at Cornhill, in Boston, as of yore.

His daughter, Mrs. Gertrude E. Meggett, died March 22, 1909.

As a member of the Book Committee of the Board of Jamestown Exposition Managers for Massachusetts, he selected the books which were exhibited at the Jamestown Ter-Centennial Exposition in 1907. He also made a catalogue of these books, adding to each title a descriptive note showing why each book was selected. The object of this exhibit of books was " to show, by a judicious selection, that American literature began certainly as early as the arrival of the Pilgrims and Puritans on the shores of New England, and that our early New England ancestors were able to produce literature, not only in its widest sense, but also in the more limited sense of belles lettres, or polite literature, including poetry and history." The exhibit secured a gold medal, the highest award. The title of the catalogue reads, — " 1607–1907. A Descriptive Catalogue of the Massachusetts Exhibit of Colonial Books at the Jamestown Ter-Centennial Exposition. Privately printed in Boston, 1907."

MORRIS LONGSTRETH. Born 1846.

He has continued to practise medicine and reside in Philadelphia, but is about to take up his residence at 101 Brattle Street, Cambridge. He will be in Spain at Commencement time.

*NICHOLAS LONGWORTH. Born in Cincinnati, June 16, 1844. Died at Cincinnati, January 18, 1890.

JOHN JACOB LOUD. Born 1844.

He has continued to live at Weymouth, Mass.

He writes (eliminating personal compliments of the Secre-

tary): — "A request for the 'story' of my 'last five years' has the force of a command. In striving to obey, I realize how little a life like mine can interest my classmates. Law, genealogy, and local history have afforded me some occupation. Home, family, and friends have meant much, and it has often been a pleasure — and one not to be despised — to be introduced as 'The Father' of one or another of my children who has done well. A few offices, that came unsought, have given me an opportunity to serve the public, or the churches, and I have expressed my views in the local papers upon other matters that seemed to me important."

The Secretary adds that so competent an authority as Mr. Louis C. Elson writes of Loud's setting of "America," — "It is certainly singable and simple, — as such a song ought to be. It deserves to become standard in America."

*JAMES WALKER LOVERING. Born at Cambridge, August 31, 1845. Died at Cambridge, May 18, 1895.

JOHN JAMES MASON. Born 1843.

He writes in answer to the Secretary's first question: — "Newport summers with a little of Bar Harbor winters; New York varied by a trip to Europe and one to Egypt — combined with the simple life at all points;" and in answer to the third: — "Shall hope to have something for their benefit and receive much more in return at the dinner."

HENRY CHRISTIAN MAYER. Born 1844.

He writes: — "After very interesting work as missionary in Cuba and Mexico, I lost my health (after ten years in the tropical climate), and was ordered to the North by my physician last September — since when I have been improving in health and doing a little church and charitable work. Three of my four children have been married. The last wedding in my family was that of H. C. Mayer, Jr."

DR. CHARLES McBURNEY.

He has continued to live in Stockbridge, Mass., in the summer, and in New York in the winter, and has traveled a good deal, chiefly on account of illness. He retired from professional work in 1905. He writes: — "My feeling of affection for my classmates grows stronger every year. Much love to you and to all of '66."

*HASLETT McKIM

Haslett McKim, Jr., was born in Baltimore, December 18, 1842, of an old Maryland family. His father was a highly esteemed banker; his mother, Sally Birckhead, daughter of Hugh and Augusta (McEvers) Birckhead; his paternal grandparents, William Duncan and Susan (Haslett, of the Eastern shore of Maryland) McKim.

He attended several schools in Baltimore, the last being that of Prof. E. M. Topping. From thence he went to the University of Virginia, October, 1860, entering the junior class. When communication with the North bid fair to be cut off, he left the University, about April 25, 1861, and returned to Baltimore, expecting that the threatened war would not come on, and looking forward to the continuation of his course. He kept up his studies by himself, but as time rolled on, all hope of returning to Virginia vanished. Affairs in Maryland in 1862 were very unsettled, owing to the invasions of the Confederate army, and he deferred going to college until the following year. Then he decided to finish his education at a Northern college, and after hesitation between Yale and Harvard, decided upon the latter, where he entered the sophomore class in September, 1863. While not striving for specially high standing, but learning more than provided in the college course, he stood number ten on the rank list, and was a member of the Phi Beta Kappa. He was also President of the St. Paul's Society.

After his graduation his family removed to New York City. He studied theology by himself for a year, and then entered the middle class of the Theological Seminary of the Protestant

Episcopal Church at Alexandria, Va. There he was ordained deacon in June, 1869, by Bishop Johns, and became assistant minister at the Church of the Incarnation, New York City, where he remained until October, 1870, having been ordained priest in that year by Bishop Johns.

He was married, September 15, 1870, in New York, to Harriet Rogers, daughter of Henry R. and Margaret L. Winthrop, and spent a year in Europe.

In January, 1872, he became Rector of St. Thomas's Church, New Windsor, N. Y., and in that place his three children were born, — Winthrop, Le Roy, and Alice Marston. He resigned this charge in April, 1883.

He took charge of All Saints Memorial Church, in the Highlands of Navesink, during the summer, and, in the fall, accepted the rectorship with the understanding that he was not expected to reside there except during the summer months; continuing this charge until 1894. He resided during several winters at New Haven, Conn., where his sons were educated at Yale.

After 1900 he resided at No. 9 West 48th St., New York City, giving his services and learning to the duties of Dean and Instructor in the N. Y. Training School for Deaconesses, of which the Rev. Dr. William R. Huntington was Warden, continuing this work until his death. He received the degree of Doctor in Divinity from Hobart College.

His health began to fail in the year 1908. In May he had an attack of pneumonia, from the effects of which he died June 4.

Haslett McKim was always of a quiet and studious disposition. In his youth, instead of boyish sports, he developed forms of play which showed the inventive genius, system, and deliberation so characteristic of him afterwards in everything he undertook.

Those who knew him well in college admired him for his able mind and wide learning, and loved him for his refinement and courtesy, his interesting conversation full of information mixed with much dry and kindly wit, and for his true though

retiring friendliness. He had a singularly well-stored mind, hampered as to expression by constitutional barriers of shyness and self-depreciation which he was unable though desirous to overcome. Beneath the reserve and reticence ever dominating him lay the genial, generous, warm-hearted nature which would have given if it could, if it had known how, to others besides his intimate friends. Yet with all his innate modesty there was the devotion to duty, the sturdy love of the truth, the unflinching hatred of sham and politic expediency, which made him not slow to voice his convictions when necessery; and in such contention he neither asked nor gave any quarter.

This was the man as we knew him. We may now learn how this quiet, gentle, strong and faithful servant of God was appreciated among the people to whom he ministered. Their own expressions of heartfelt affection show that he had this reward of his labors.

The vestry of the church at New Windsor wrote him at parting: —

"We accept your resignation with much regret: the eleven years you have been with us having been filled with many acts of kindness and charity, not only to the members of your own congregation, but to the sick and needy without the circle of your own immediate pastoral charge. In the many homes darkened by suffering but brightened and cheered by your kindly sympathy and prompt aid you will never be forgotten.

"We would also tender you at this time the sincere acknowledgment of the congregation for your unwearied efforts for their spiritual welfare; for the great interest always shown by you in the Parish; for the great improvement in the church edifice by the ornamental and substantial addition to the building, but recently erected, and for your successful efforts and very generous contribution toward the purchase of a house and grounds for a future parsonage."

The Trustees of the Training School said in their Memorial: —

"The memory of the gracious hospitality and kind courtesy

of this Christian gentleman, their first Dean, will be cherished alike by the Trustees, Faculty, Graduates and Students.

"Dr. McKim was a man of profound learning, but, at the same time, of such great modesty that only those who had occasion to draw upon his knowledge became aware of his remarkable attainments.

"He was an expert in more than one science. As an astronomer he was a deep student; and his ingenuity in devising mechanical appliances to assist him in his researches was original and remarkable. As a botanist he had few equals. His knowledge of ecclesiastical history and law made his instructions at the New York Training School for Deaconesses especially valuable; and it is to be remembered that he gave his services not only gratuitously but at great sacrifice of his time, convenience, and personal comfort, coming daily to the city from his country home when he needed rest.

"The meekness of his unostentatious life and the purity of his character shall surely realize the beatitudes of the Master's commendation, the Master whom he imitated and served.

"He showed that he retained his interest in and affection for the University of Virginia by bequeathing to it from his library three thousand volumes on Biology and Theology."

J. H. W.

LEWIS CHAMPLIN MURDOCK. Born 1845.

His residence is still New York City.

*THOMAS NELSON. Born in Boston, March 4, 1845. Died in Boston, November 19, 1897.

JOHN LEONARD NORTON. Born 1844.

He has continued to live at Memphis, Tenn., engaged in financial business.

GEORGE LAURIE OSGOOD. Born 1844.

No answer having been received by the Secretary to his letter, he is obliged to print an extract from a letter of his a

year old from Geneva, Switzerland. "To quote Jem Peirce's maxim, 'I take up my friends just where I left them.' My silence never means forgetfulness; but time slips past, and with nothing special to say about this quiet old place of many schools, nor concerning myself and peaceable life, I take it for granted that you know all is well with me and mine. The longer one stays here the stronger is the feeling of contrast between the settled conditions of an European environment and our restless, strenuous, American life. Our stay in Geneva has given the children French; and Jack, the oldest, — he will be nine in September, — goes to Stonehouse, Broadstairs, England, in the fall. Last summer we visited a number of English preparatory schools, stopping at each place several days. There is much to be said about preparatory schools, pro and con, but we are decided as to giving Jack the benefit of an English school life before he comes in contact with the undisciplined American schoolboy of the youngest generation, with his crude speech and unmusical voice. Then the English out-of-doors life and sports are fine for a growing boy. This does not mean that the boys will not return to 'the knee of our mother' all in good time." Osgood spent May and June of last year in Cambridge. He is now at Geneva. His son, Hamilton, was born September 14, 1907.

*ROBERT MENDUM OTIS. Born at Kittery, Maine, October 19, 1844. Died at Roslindale, Boston, March 19, 1886.

JAMES OSCAR PARKER. Born 1845.

His address is unknown to the Secretary.

*WILLIAM LEVI PARKER. Born at Boston, March 26, 1844. Died at Oswego, N. Y., November 30, 1888.

ROBERT SWAIN PEABODY. Born 1845.

He has continued in his profession of architect at Boston, and to live at Boston in the winter and at Marblehead in the summer. In April, 1909, he succeeded the Secretary as Chair-

man of the Board of Park Commissioners of Boston. His first grandchild, Gertrude Peabody, was born September 4, 1910. His wife, Annie Putnam Peabody, died May 1, 1911.

EDWARD FOSTER PEIRCE. Born 1844.

He has given up the high school at Yarmouthport, and is now instructing youth in Boston. He writes: "Little to add except to hope that prosperity and content may be with us all for many years."

EDWARD CRANCH PERKINS. Born 1844.

He has continued to practise law at Boston and to live at Milton, Mass.

THOMAS SERGEANT PERRY. Born 1845.

He came back from Paris in 1909, and since then has lived in Boston in the winter, and at Hancock, New Hampshire, in the summer. The Peterboro *Transcript* says that he "has completed one of the finest tennis courts in this part of the state." Perhaps some of the Class have not read a letter of John Addington Symonds, published in his life by Horatio Brown, and, therefore, will be pleased to see this quotation: "When you go to Boston you will see Perry, one of the brightest-souled students of literature, the biggest *heluo librorum* in America. Salute him from me."

*GEORGE GREENLEAF PRATT. Born at Brewster, Mass., May 6, 1842. Died at Arlington, Mass., May 3, 1890.

JAMES JACKSON PUTNAM. Born 1846.

He has continued to live and practise medicine at Boston. His answer to the third question is: "Nothing except that I have really enjoyed my medical work, of a somewhat new sort, better during the past two years than ever before." His absorption in his profession must account for his forgetting our Forty-fifth Anniversary and sailing off to Europe instead of being with us at Commencement time.

GEORGE FRANCIS ROBINSON. Born 1843.

He has continued to live at Kennebunk, Maine. He writes: "Like the angels I have my ups and downs — especially the downs. About two years ago I thought somebody would have to write my obituary — but good nursing and faithful medical aid brought me out all right, and now I am feeling fairly well. When the obituary time does come and I can look upon the poor chap selected for the work, I don't doubt that my shade will find much amusement at his mental struggles in trying to tell the truth. You see he will have so few facts to build upon."

*HENRY ROLFE. Born at Farmington, Me., July 30, 1844. Died at Napa, Cal., October 12, 1895.

WILLIAM STORY SARGENT. Born 1842.

He has continued in his work in the United States Subtreasury at Boston, with his home at West Medford, Mass. On March 26, 1911, he lost, by death, his wife, Henrietta Peirce, daughter of the late Colonel Edward F. and Mary E. Hall.

THOMAS PIERPONT SHAW. Born 1843.

He has continued to live at Lowell. He writes: "There is nothing to be said except that I still live and still love Sixty-six and all its precious memories. God bless you, every one."

SWITHIN CHANDLER SHORTLIDGE. Born 1840.

The Secretary has not yet received any answer to his letter. His last letter from Shortlidge was from Leeds, England, dated November 16, 1909, in which he expressed his great pleasure in receiving the photographic album of the Class. He wrote: "After my return to England in 1907 I went to Germany for the rest of the year, and I have since been engaged in translating German. I hope to return to Germany the coming year."

WILLIAM EDWARD SKILLINGS.

On the whole Skillings had a very active life up to the time of his being obliged to give up work because of ill health. It can-

not be otherwise than that he regretted his inability to longer indulge in his favorite out-door sports far more than the mere resigning the activities of business. Almost all his life he was a most enthusiastic and successful hunter in the woods of Maine and New Brunswick as well as making occasional trips to the waters of the South in search of wild swans and the various other game birds which abound in the waters of that locality. Especially was he skillful with the rod. For many years he has whipped the streams and lakes of Maine, and the home place in Winchester was named Rangeley after one of his favorite resorts. It is to be doubted if there was any amateur at the time of his earlier sporting, except Mr. Brackett, who could cast a fly more accurately and farther.

He loved the strenuous out-door life, and its hardships were but pleasure to him. It is scarcely two years since he invited the writer to visit him at South Paris, Me., and spend a few days in casting a fly on the streams in the neighborhood, but circumstances prevented my acceptance. It is written of the late Buck Fanshawe that "He never shook his mother," and it may be said of Skillings that he was so true a sportsman that he "never soaked a worm." The business life of Skillings was somewhat varied, but was generally devoted to the exploitation of wood and its products, such as spools and bobbins, made from the birch which grows so plentifully in the State where he resided for the larger part of his life.

He was born at Boston, October 23, 1843, and early after graduation he went to Albany and took charge of a branch office of his father's firm, D. N. Skillings & Company, lumber merchants. Later he carried on the business of manufacturing lumber at Bethel, Me. On June 20, 1876, he was married to Miss Katherine Davis.

He was President of the Bethel Steam Mill Company for some years, and after that joined his younger brother, Julius, in manufacturing spool-wood and its products.

About 1890 he was made Treasurer of the American Bobbin, Spool and Shuttle Company. In order to assume the duties of this office he removed to Boston, where he remained several

years until the company disintegrated. After this he went into business with a Mr. Clark of Glasgow, Scotland, the firm name being Clark, Skillings & Co., Limited. This company did an extensive business in lumbering in New Brunswick, and exporting the product. This venture gave him a fine opportunity to gratify his love for sport, and in this recreation he made many warm friends, who recall his genial ways with pleasure.

In 1900 he returned to Maine and was made President of the Oxford County Telephone Company, and, also, again engaged in the spool and bobbin business until ill health compelled his retirement. It was about 1893 that he, accompanied by his wife, went to Scotland to arrange some business combination with those interested in the use of spools; among them, if my memory serves, was the great thread concern of Coates. His negotiations I believe were not immediately successful, but evidently at a later period he found good results from the trip by his association with Mr. Clark.

I chanced to be a fellow passenger on the old, slow, dirty ship, the "State of Nevada," but bad as she was, in some respects the voyage was one of the most enjoyable which I have ever known. There was a thorough democracy, and I doubt if there were ever on a "liner" more jolly days and evenings, more songs and stories. Into all these enjoyments Skillings entered with the greatest zest, and helped things along wonderfully.

During his residence in Boston he was twice elected representative on the Republican ticket from Ward 21. He enjoyed this service very much, and he made an excellent member of the lower house.

His demise, which came rather suddenly at the end, on June 25, 1910, at Bryant's Pond, Me., was the result of a somewhat prolonged illness, from which he gradually grew weaker, without much, if any, suffering.

His funeral was at Mt. Auburn Chapel, and his remains rest in the family lot.

On the whole, there are possibly others of the Class who could be less missed, though I cannot name them, but though he had strong likes and dislikes, Skillings generally had grounds for

both. As a rule, he was an exceptionally genial man, full of life and energy, a good companion in house or field, a great reader, and thoroughly appreciative of the best in literature, a "hail-fellow-well-met," a man from whom to part was ever a regret.

Skillings left a widow — Katherine Davis Skillings, two daughters, one of them married, and one son, who has an important position with Filene & Company of Boston.

F. A. H.

*STEPHEN HENRY STACKPOLE. Born at Roxbury, Mass., July 24, 1843. Died at Hamilton, N. Y., July 23, 1886.

*MARSHALL PADDOCK STAFFORD was born in Tinmouth, Rutland County, Vt., October 14, 1840. Died in Bellingham, Wash., October 29, 1904.

FRANCIS RUSSELL STODDARD. Born 1844.

The greater part of the last five years he has lived in New York City, with his summer residence at Cedarhurst, Long Island. He was appointed in 1907 manager of the Home Trust Company of New York, with which institution he is still connected. His son, Francis R. Stoddard, Jr., Harvard, '99, was married November 8, 1909, which event has given our classmate a fourth granddaughter. He writes: "I have just bought my father's old house at Plymouth, and I hope in my old age to retire and spend my days in my native place. I shall always have the latch string out for anyone of '66."

*WILLIAM PRESCOTT STODDARD. Born 1846.

William P. Stoddard, or Stoddard, 2d, as he was called in the class, was born in Plymouth, Mass, March 26, 1846, and died in Plymouth, August 18, 1910.

He was descended from a distinguished ancestry. As his great grandfather and grandfather upon his mother's side were both graduates of Harvard, after passing through all the schools of his native town, it was but natural that he should go to

Harvard, and so he was sent to Phillips Exeter Academy in 1860, from which he graduated in 1862, and from there to Cambridge, thus becoming a member of our Class. At his graduation he was one of the youngest members. Although he did not take a high rank as a scholar, it was his own fault, for he had a wonderfully bright mind, learned easily, and could, without doubt, have won high honors in scholarship if he had applied himself. After graduation he was in New York in business for about two years, and then, having married the daughter of Jeremiah Farris, an honored citizen of the town, and treasurer of the Plymouth Mills, of Plymouth, Mass., he went back to his native town and became associated with his father-in-law in the management of the Mills, and, at his death, succeeded him as treasurer, which position he held for nearly thirty years.

At an early age he won the respect and esteem of his townsmen, and many political honors were offered to him, but he declined them all, as he felt that his business must have his whole attention. He broke this resolve only twice when he accepted the position of Chief Marshalship in 1889 at the dedication of the National Monument to the Pilgrims, and again, at the earnest solicitation of his friends, when he accepted the position of Colonel and Senior Aide de Camp on the staff of the then Governor of Massachusetts, his friend, Hon. J. Q. A. Brackett, Harvard 1865.

Those of us who have been in Plymouth will remember our classmate's house, with its large white columns, at the head of the street leading to the rock on which the Pilgrims landed. Here in one of the handsome mansions of the town he passed all his married life, and ever had a warm greeting for his classmates. His character and reputation in the business world was the very best, and in the management of the Plymouth Mills, which he brought to the highest perfection in manufacturing, he showed great ability. Of the National Rivet Association, which met monthly in New York, he was one of the leading members. His opinion was always sought on the different problems of management, and nothing was done without his advice and

counsel. He was a ready speaker, and spoke at many a banquet. His mind was a treasure field of stories, for once he heard a story he never forgot it, and at any party or gathering of men he was its life, and as story after story passed from his lips, his listeners would always wait in eager expectation for the next. It was one of the greatest pleasures of his last days to gather around him different members of the Harvard Club of New York, men far younger than himself, and by his ready wit and rich fund of anecdote keep them entertained for hours. Popular in his native town, he was hail-fellow-well-met with every one. Of a sweet disposition, a charming personality, with a warm and loving heart, a good husband and a kind friend; he was a favorite with every one, no matter what his circumstances or position in life might be.

His last, long, sad illness he bore with patient sweetness.

He did not enter the promised land through any creed or church, but with love as his motto and a record in life of doing unto others as he wished that others should do unto him. His death was mourned by his fellow citizens and his memory will remain forever in the history of his native town. At the time of his death he was treasurer of the Plymouth Mills, director of the Plymouth National Bank, Trustee of the Plymouth Savings Bank. He had been director of the Plymouth & Middleboro Railroad, and President of the Old Colony Club of Plymouth. He was a member of the Harvard Club of New York City, and Trustee of the Pilgrim Society of Plymouth. He left a widow and three daughters to mourn his loss. At the close of a summer day, his body was laid away in the old cemetery at Plymouth, surrounded by the ashes of his ancestors, all honored and respected as he had been. No more genial soul or more faithful friend ever entered the gates of Paradise. Farewell brother and classmate. Life was better in your living and death was a gainer in our loss.

"The secret consciousness of duty well performed,
The public voice of praise that honors virtue
and rewards it."

F. R. S.

(From the *Old Colony Memorial* of August 27, 1910.)

In Memoriam

WILLIAM PRESCOTT STODDARD DIED AUGUST 18th, 1910

Good fellowship is as old as man. It is one of the elemental things — rooted in man with good and evil, love and hate. Its temples are wherever good men get together — its shrines and sanctuaries — the hearts of men.

More than the impetuous comradeship of youth, it is the settled faith of men in men. Passing all boundaries of nation, creed or calling, it asks only the open heart, the honest purpose, the cheerful countenance.

Its password is the kindling eye, its pledge, the hearty hand; its finest messages are unspoken. It is the golden age made manifest. Rites, religions, men and measures pass; good fellowship remains; for it is eternal love of life, eternal faith, eternal charity and cheer. J. H. K.

MOORFIELD STOREY. Born 1845.

He has continued to practise the law and to reside in Boston in the winter and at Lincoln, Mass., in the summer. He writes: "I have pursued the even tenor of my way, taking some interest as always in public affairs. I have been and am the President of the Anti-Imperial League, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and the Boston Bar Association. I have given the Storrs lectures at Yale."

CHARLES EDWIN STRATTON. Born 1846.

He has continued to reside and practise law at Boston. After thirteen years' service on the Board of Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, during the last twelve as Chairman, he gave place in March, 1909, to his classmate, Robert Swain Peabody.

*HENRY MARSHALL TATE. Born on March 2, 1845. Died at Brooklyn, N. Y., January 7, 1897.

*JOHN WARD TAYLOR. Born in Hebron, Me., August 17, 1840.

Most of us remember dear old John. He entered college in the sophomore year and so perhaps was not so well known as some of the others. But I think he was very well known as a sweet, pleasant, strong fellow from the time he came to college till he graduated. He did fairly well at his studies and he pulled a good oar, and he had the strong and affectionate regard of all who knew him. Before coming to college he was at Exeter, where he was well known and much liked from the first day he came.

After leaving college his career was more varied than that of anyone I have happened to have read about. He went first to New Jersey, where he was appointed a principal of one of the big schools, and where he was married. From there he went to San Francisco, where he was both the head man in the schools and was also connected with some large industries in rubber. In San Francisco he was very well known and very much liked. From San Francisco he went with one or two other men to run a big cattle ranch in Utah and Nevada, backed and mainly owned by Charles Crocker. It was a big ranch, extending nearly two hundred miles. The ranch did not prove to be a success, and was dropped, and John went to Chicago, where he was in the insurance business, and from Chicago to New York, where he was in the insurance business.

The insurance business in New York not proving a success, he went out to Colorado and did some prospecting, and worked for a year or two on a very promising looking prospect, which, however, like most prospects, did not pan out. Then for a time he ran the Alice Mine on Clear Creek, Colorado, just above Idaho Springs, and he left that to go out to the East when the Philippine Islands became part of the United States. But he was not satisfied in the Philippines any more than he had been in New England, and he went from there to look up tin on the Malay Peninsula.

There he spent several years, a great deal of the time in the absolute wilderness, seeing no white man. He obtained valuable

concessions from the King of Siam, and was at work placing these when his health broke down, and he began to be affected with a trouble of the heart.

He had always been so well and so strong that neither his California friends, of whom he had a great many, nor the few of us who knew him well, could understand that his health had broken. But his health had broken, and with the break he lost at last his supreme confidence, which all through his life made him believe that sufficient work would make anything go through.

He died in Hemet, Cal., owing to the trouble of his heart, on February 1, 1908.

I knew him very well from his start at Exeter until the end, and I liked him very, very much. He had an unending belief that he could push things through and make them pan out, and he worked like a beaver always.

He went to the Philippines to seek his fortune when he was over sixty, with the enthusiasm and hopefulness of a boy of nineteen, and a few years later gave up a most excellent position there, with a fine salary, to go to Siam to mine for tin, because he said if he was going to make a fortune he must go at it before he got old.

I have corresponded with his friends in California since his death, and there is only one feeling about him, and that is, that he was a first-rate fellow, loved and respected by everybody, and, among all, there was left a great sadness that his broken health should have caused his death.

He was married October 10, 1869, at Monclair, N. J., to Mary Amelia Benedict, who died in November, 1880. March 26, 1895, he was married by our classmate, Gregg, at Colorado Springs, to Laurence Benoit. A daughter by the first marriage survives him. E. C. P.

JOHN LARKIN THORNDIKE. Born 1844.

He has continued to practise law in Boston, and to live there in winter, and at Manchester, Mass., in summer.

*WILLIAM GEORGE TIFFANY. Born in Baltimore, March 26, 1844, and died in New York City, April 23, 1905.

MELVIN AUGUSTUS UNDERWOOD. Born 1844.

He has continued to live in Boston and to hold a position in the United States Customs service.

ALFRED CLARENCE VINTON. Born 1844.

He has continued to live at Winchester, Mass., and to practise law at Boston.

THOMAS WREN WARD

He continued in business in New York City until about two years ago, when he retired from business and came to Boston to live. Last autumn he went to Europe for a year's stay.

JOHN HENRY WATSON. Born 1845.

He has continued to live in New York City, and is at present in Europe, whence he writes: — "I have been under the necessity of painfully depriving myself of the pleasure of meeting the Class at the 45th Anniversary. I would gladly give up two or three days of this pleasant trip in order to be there on June 26, but the airships have not yet reached such a point of perfection as to warrant this attempt. I am sorry that my family cannot meet the others of the Class. My oldest son is (as Lieutenant 1st U. S. Cavalry) in Texas trying to keep in order the renegades who hang (or ought to be hung) on the borders, under cover of the insurrection. Eugene, however, is still at Harvard. Please present my affectionate greeting and congratulations to the fellows, with the hope that they will enjoy the dinner as much as if it were one of Professor Peirce's examinations, and that they will not be asked to 'move on.'"

GEORGE DERBY WELLES. Born 1843.

He has continued to reside in Paris, France. His classmates will be sorry to hear that he writes his health is poor, and adds, "I send my sincere regards to you and all."

LEONARD WHEELER. Born 1845.

He has continued to practise medicine in Worcester, Mass., and to be on the staff of the various hospitals of that city. He is the proud father of another child, Nathaniel, born June 20, 1906, just six days before our celebration of 1906, but he did not tell us of the boy at that time, probably from fear of arousing our envy.

*JOHN MARSHALL WHITTEMORE, Jr. Born in Boston, June 6, 1846. Died in Cambridge, April 20, 1893.

*EDWARD TUCKERMAN WILKINSON. Born at Boston, October 14, 1844. Died at sea, December 27, 1873.

JOHN DAVIS WILLIAMS. Born 1845.

He has continued to reside in Boston, and to be busy in the management of trust properties. The Boston *Globe*, 22d of January, 1907, says: — "Jack Williams of Boston, after being knocked down four times in the fourth round at Augusta, Me., turns tables on Young Cote in the fifth, knocking him out with an uppercut." The gentleman, whose achievements are reported by the *Globe*, is not our classmate, the Secretary is convinced, but he cannot refrain from printing the item because of the remarkable coincidence of two men of the same name, of the same town, and of similar unusual physical vigor and endurance.

EDMUND WENTWORTH WRIGHT. Born 1844.

He has continued to live at Old Orchard, Maine, during the last five years, during the first three years of which he was principal of the High School. He then resigned, and has retired from teaching. He is kept busy as Secretary of the Public Library Board, Chairman of the School Board, and also as one of the Selectmen of the small town.

* FRANK WRIGHT. Born in Auburn, N. Y., November 12, 1844. Died in St. Louis, Mo., June 16, 1903.

* THEODORE FRANCIS WRIGHT.

Theodore Francis Wright, the second son and third child of Edmund and Sarah Augusta (Hunt) Wright, was born on August 3, 1845, in Dorchester, Mass. His father, the son of Edmund Wright, whose ancestry was traced back to the settlement of Plymouth, had already retired from business, and was occupied with the cultivation of his suburban estate. His mother, a descendant of the Wentworth and Winslow families, was a woman of strong religious character, actively interested in moral and social questions, and from her Theodore inherited the qualities which characterized his life. He attended the primary, grammar and high schools of Dorchester, of which his impressions do not seem to have been favorable. The last two years of his preparation for college were spent in the private school of Mr. W. H. Brooks of Boston, to which city his parents removed in April, 1862. His course at Mr. Brooks' school was more satisfactory than that in the public schools of Dorchester, and he entered college without conditions in July, 1862, his brother, Edmund Wentworth Wright, being also a member of the Class of 1866.

Details of Wright's boyhood are given in the journal kept by his mother until he was twelve years old, and afterwards continued by Wright himself. That he was always of a serious nature is shown by his regular attendance at church and his interest in lectures at the Mechanics Institute of Roxbury, at an age when few boys were attracted by the lyceum lectures which were at that time a characteristic feature of the intellectual life of New England. His favorite recreations, he states, were skating and flying kites, and later fishing, horseback riding, and, especially, baseball.

The early part of Wright's college life was uneventful. He was a good student, and in his sophomore year received as a detur the works of Isaac Walton, of which he remarks, "complete, *id est* on the outside," from which we, perhaps, may infer that he was one of the victims of the system which considered that inferior or, in some cases, more than suspected, second-hand copies of standard works were appropriate rewards of

good scholarship, provided the bindings were new. For one fond of fishing and interested in the lives of religious worthies, the selection of Walton's works, however, showed better judgment than was usual on the part of those having charge of the distribution of deturs. His interest in baseball continued, and he became a member of the "first nine" of his class, and described in his journal a memorable visit to Providence for a match game with a nine of Brown University in which Harvard won. The August vacation of the freshman year was spent in a trip to a logging camp in Maine, where he spent ten days among the lumbermen, enjoying keenly the out-of-door life.

The sophomore year was an important one in Wright's career. While attending Mr. Brooks' school in Boston he had seen the regiments of volunteers as they marched through the city in 1861 on their way to the seat of war, and the conviction grew constantly stronger in his mind that it was his duty to take an active part in the defence of his country. He attended a course of lectures at the Lowell Institute on military tactics, and, in the winter vacation of his sophomore year, received military instruction in the Massachusetts Rifle Club. In his journal of the spring of 1864 he wrote: "I have for some time been deliberating about leaving college to go to the war, and have, at last, with the consent of my parents, determined to study for a commission in the colored troops. In the evening I called on Dr. Hill (then President), who promised me a letter of recommendation." The account of Wright's military service can best be given in his own words, taken from his autobiography, written for the Class Book at the time of his graduation.

"January 20, 1864, I left college, and began to prepare myself for the army. Was examined at Washington, April 7th, before Major General Silas Casey's Board, and passed as a First Lieutenant of Infantry. Returning home, I received an invitation from my classmates to meet them at the old Institute Room, in Massachusetts Hall, and appeared, April 22d, in full uniform, to be presented with a valuable sword, sash, and belt. The motto offered by the orator of the occasion, John Green Curtis, is worth recording: — 'God speed the(*e*)

Right.' My assignment to the 108th U. S. Colored Infantry organizing at Louisville, Kentucky, came June 14th, 1864, and I was ordered to report immediately. Attached to 'F' Company, Captain John H. Lee of New York, I spent one month at Louisville, the month of August at Maysville, Ky., aiding the enlistment of negroes; September at Muldraughs Hill, Ky., guarding from guerillas the Louisville and Nashville R. R., enjoying military life exceedingly. About October first the entire regiment, under command of Lieutenant Colonel John J. Bishop of Indiana, started for Rock Island Barracks, Illinois, where we spent the long and very severe winter, guarding rebel prisoners. The men improved scanty moments of leisure to learn to read and write, while I studied over my old classics, spending much time also in reading Swedenborg.

"May 27th, 1865, I was detached from the regiment and ordered on duty at Springfield, Illinois, under Brevt. Brig. General Jas. Oakes, U. S. A. C. Mand. D. O., A. A. P. M. G., and S. V. R. S., Illinois. At this time, the regiment having gone to Vicksburg, Mississippi, I tendered my resignation, desiring to return to college and, now that the war was over, to prepare myself for the path in life, I considered marked out for me, that of the ministry of New Church. Received my honorable discharge July 23d, 1865, and reached home August 2d, 1865, to find everything about as I had left it fourteen months before, but myself grown considerably in experience of men and things. The Faculty kindly permitted me to return to the good old Class of 1866, and in the winter vacation, I made up the conditions given me, so that I am now (May, 1866) ready to graduate, hoping afterwards to pursue more of the omitted studies."

After graduating, Wright became a resident graduate at Cambridge, but on account of ill health he was obliged to give up his studies; in the spring of 1867, however, he began the study of divinity at the New Church Theological School at Waltham, Mass., and in November, 1868, he accepted a call to preach at the New Church in Bridgewater, Mass., where he

remained until September, 1889, when he was called to take charge of the Theological School, which had removed from Waltham to Cambridge. From that time until his death he filled the office of Dean of the Theological School, lecturing on church history and homiletics, preaching on Sundays and editing the *New Church Review*. On returning to Cambridge, wishing to equip himself more thoroughly for his work as a lecturer, he entered the Graduate Department of Harvard and received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in 1891.

The duties of dean and editor, in addition to the many educational and philanthropic demands to which he always responded freely, must have been severe for one whose conscience never allowed him to shirk work which he thought might be of service to others. He sought the needed rest in travelling, and, in 1887, made a long journey through a large part of Europe and to Egypt and Palestine, and he spent a part of 1902–03 in Europe. In the autumn of 1907, owing to overwork, he appeared to be suffering from nervous strain, and it was decided that, with his wife, he should spend a year in Egypt and Palestine. On October 26 he sailed from Boston on the "Romanic" and reaching Naples on November 8, at once took the steamer for Alexandria. During the voyage, although Wright at first seemed to become stronger and more cheerful, he again became depressed, and before reaching Alexandria told his wife that he did not feel able to make the journey to Palestine, but wished to return home. On reaching Alexandria on November 12, he took passage on the return trip of the "Schleswig," on which he had sailed from Naples, and started homeward on the afternoon of November 13. With his wife he spent a part of the evening on deck, but, on returning later to the cabin, his wife, who was but a few steps in advance, turned and found that he had disappeared. The ship was at once searched, but no trace of him could be found.

He was married in Boston on April 6, 1869, to Miss Harriet M. Chapman of Cambridge, who died September 15, 1877. On December 4, 1879, he was married to Miss Pamelia Keith, daughter of Edwin and Julia Keith of Bridgewater.

The natural interest in questions of a moral and religious nature, manifested when he was a boy, strengthened with years and marked him as destined for the ministry. Although when in college he was in the habit of attending services in churches of different denominations, his interest in the doctrines of the New Church was awakened as early as 1862, when, in company with his aunt, he attended the services of the New Jerusalem Church on Bowdoin Street, Boston, where she was a parishioner of the Rev. Thomas Worcester. In the spring of the year after graduation he began his formal preparation for the ministry in the Theological School at Waltham. From the time of his appointment as pastor of the New Church at Bridgewater until his death, he devoted himself with untiring energy to the promotion of the spiritual welfare of his church, for more than twenty years at Bridgewater, and later in Cambridge, as Dean of the School, after its removal from Waltham. To his pastoral duties were added those of Professor of the History of Religion, as well as editor of the *New Jerusalem Magazine* and the *New Church Review*. It may be said that, during his incumbency, he was the life of the School, always absorbed in his work and everything connected with its success and progress was to him of vital interest. As a pastor Wright was highly esteemed by those to whom he preached, and between him and his congregation there was the sympathetic relation which implied on the one hand a singleness of purpose and faithful service, and on the other the recognition of work well done.

As a theologian Wright belonged rather to the philosophical than to the dogmatical school, or to what may be called the ultra-critical school, characteristic of the present day. This attitude toward theology was what might naturally have been expected in a member of the New Church, whose spirit — if one who is not a Swedenborgian may venture to express what is generally believed by members of other denominations to be its spirit — looks rather to the consideration of the intimate relations of the present to the future life than to purely dogmatical discussion or by textual criticism and archæological research to seek to reconcile the supernatural with the natural.

The titles of Wright's publications will serve to show the scope and direction of his studies in theology: "Life Eternal," 1885; "The Human and Its Relation to the Divine," 1892; "Notes on the History of Religion," 1901; "Spiritual Exodus," 1906. In 1900 he published "Psalms ex Lingua Originali ab Emanuele Swedenborgio." In connection with his religious work Wright was interested in the exploration of the Holy Land, and in 1891 was chosen United States Secretary of the Palestine Exploration Fund. He was a member of the American Oriental Society, the American School of Archæology, the Society of Biblical Literature and Exegesis, and at the World's Fair in Chicago gave an address before the Parliament of Religions.

Although his profession made great demands on his time and energy, Wright never forgot that he was not only a pastor and a professor, but also a citizen. He felt more than a passive interest in all questions relating to public morals and social improvement, and he never neglected an occasion when, by his voice, his pen, or his business ability, he could aid in the promotion of reform, both social and civic. When residing at Bridgewater he served on the School Board, and as trustee of the Public Library, of which he was at one time president. The following quotation from the Class Report of 1886 gives, in a humorous way, an illustration of his many-sided activity at Bridgewater. "He was appointed a member of the commission to introduce an improved system of disposal of sewerage at the State Normal School in his town. He continues to hold some local offices in connection with the Improvement Association, Public Library, and Academy, and is, perhaps, the only member of the Class who belongs to a fire company, his duties in which concern the preservation of movable property." Certainly it is not in every town that one could find a clergyman whose advice on matters connected with sewerage would be considered valuable, and who would not think it beneath his dignity to be enrolled as a member of the fire department. In Cambridge there was abundant opportunity for the exercise of his public spirit in connection with public charities, supervision of schools, and the promotion of temperance and good government. The tem-

perance question was one in which he was always especially interested. He acted as Director of Associated Charities and President of the East End Mission, and whenever the question of license or the purification of political parties came up, and they were of almost annual occurrence, Wright always took a prominent part in committee work and public speaking. His fellow citizens recognize that with his death they have lost a champion of all good causes.

Few of the Class were more regular in their attendance at our annual meetings or were more interested in hearing news of their classmates. He felt that the most valuable memento which he could leave to his family was the sword which recalled both the memorable days spent in the service of his country and the good wishes of his classmates. In temperament and manner Wright did not change as he grew older. Nature had denied to him sprightliness of manner and flexibility of disposition, although, as the Class Reports show, he was possessed of a quiet humor which brightened his writings. But, better than sprightliness, he was endowed with a serious, serene manner, based on a strong character, constantly striving to do what he believed to be right. If he was inflexible, it was because he was honest and his convictions were strong. His life was a busy and successful one. He probably had his trials and his anxieties, but he never spoke of them to us. We only know that the mind once so serene became clouded, and that the strain became at last so great that even one of his moral strength lost heart.

W. G. F.

CLASSMATES NOT GRADUATED WITH US

JOHN V. APTHORP. Born 1844.

He has continued in the real estate business in Boston and to reside in Milton, Mass. His wife died March 8, 1908.

*GEORGE TYLER BIGELOW was born in Boston, December 16, 1845, the only son of George Tyler Bigelow and Anna S. (Miller) Bigelow. He died July 12, 1907, in Denver, Col., where his body was cremated, and his ashes were afterwards interred in the family lot in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy, Mass. His father was Chief Justice of Massachusetts.

His school life began under Mr. Sullivan in Boston, and he was fitted for college at Andover. He entered Harvard in 1862 with the Class of 1866.

Leaving college without graduating he, not long afterwards, began work as a civil engineer on the Union Pacific Railroad, then in course of construction, and was engaged in that work until the completion of that road. Returning then to Boston and Quincy he stayed for some time, but took up no occupation here. About a year after the death of his father, who died in April, 1878, he went to California, and in December, 1879, married, in San Francisco, Elizabeth V. Waters, by whom he had two children, both sons, Charles Miller and George Tyler, who with their mother survive him. The sons are graduates of the University of Wisconsin, and the younger, George, of the Harvard Law School.

From the time of his marriage until about the year 1890 he made his home in San Francisco and followed his profession of civil engineer. In 1890 he moved from San Francisco to

Detroit, Mich., and after some years spent there to Milwaukee, Wis. He led a life of leisure at Detroit and Milwaukee until 1899, when he again took up his profession as chief engineer of the Tennessee Central Railroad, and pursued it until 1904, when he finally retired from work, and shortly afterwards gave up his residence in Milwaukee. The rest of his life was spent in travel from place to place in California and Colorado, with occasional trips to Boston to see his mother, who survives him at the age of ninety. At the time of his death, which came from aneurism, after an illness of six weeks, he was contemplating a return to settle down in Boston or its neighborhood. He was very fond of out-door life, and much of his time during his later years was spent outdoors, riding on horseback, making excursions, hunting, often living in tents for weeks at a time in the mountains.

Somewhat indolent by nature and temperament, he nevertheless was a hard worker when employed in his profession of constructing railroads. His work brought him wide acquaintance with our western country and gave him a varied and interesting experience. He was domestic in his habits, devoted to his family, giving much care and thought to the education of his two sons; a good citizen, proud of his country and interested in public affairs, though never holding office; a scorner of all shams, cheerful in disposition, a pleasant companion, popular with friends and acquaintances, and a faithful friend. L. S. D.

*HENRY HARMON CHAMBERLIN. Born June 15, 1845. Died July 11, 1864.

EDWARD BROWN DICKINSON. Born 1844.

He has continued to live in Brooklyn and to be the official stenographer of Kings County Surrogate Court. He writes: "Always in Brooklyn. I am sentenced to hard labor for life in Brooklyn." He cannot be with us at Commencement time. He writes: "To my great, deep regret, I cannot leave Court during June for a single hour. I am crowded by

lawyers and laymen for work which I must do. I wish I could see the boys once more, but it is simply out of the question. But I shall drink to them not with 'my eyes' but with my mind fixed on the mental picture of the group of old fellows, as white-haired or as bald-headed as I am, gathering together in my native city to celebrate the Forty-fifth Anniversary. I can't seem to say enough without 'slopping over,' but I feel so strongly that I either must slop or stop. I have reached the point where I am constantly reminded of our good old Whittier: —

> And when in Life's late afternoon,
> Where long and cool the shadows grow,
> I wake to meet the night that soon
> Shall shape and shadow overflow.

*DAVID WEBBER FARQUAR. Born in Boston, January 28, 1844. Died in Newton, Mass., May 17, 1905.

*CHARLES FISKE. Born at Buffalo, N. Y., February 25, 1845. Died at Los Angeles, Cal., January 28, 1876.

JAMES MURRAY FORBES. Born 1845.

He has continued to live in Boston in the winter and at Milton, Mass., and Islesboro, Me., in the summer.

*GEORGE HARSHA HATCH. Born January 4, 1846. Died July 4, 1865.

WILLIAM JONES LADD. Born 1844.

He has continued to live at Milton, Mass., and has a business office in Boston. The number of his grandchildren has increased from nine to sixteen. Sweet Sixteen!

*NISBET LAWRENCE. Born November 29, 1844. Died March 24, 1868.

*WILLIAM NEWHALL LOCKE. Born January 28, 1842. Died November 26, 1865.

*CHARLES BATES TOWER was born in Scituate on May 20, 1842. He was prepared for College at the Boston Public Latin School. He left the class during the sophomore year, and served for three months in the Twelfth Unattached Co. M. V. M. at Provincetown. In 1865 he began the study of medicine, which he continued until the beginning of the year 1867, when, owing to his father's, D. B. Tower, failing health, he required his son's assistance in conducting the Park Latin School, Boston; and, on his father's death, he took entire charge of the School. Later he again took up the study of medicine and received the degree of Doctor of Medicine from Harvard in 1881, but practised his profession for a short time only. August 13, 1872, at Cambridge, he was married to Catharine Donnison, daughter of Rev. R. M. Hodges, of Cambridge. He lived the greater part of his life in Cambridge, spending his summers at York Harbor, Me. He was for many years Treasurer of St. John's Memorial Chapel at Cambridge. He died at Cambridge May 14, 1909. He is survived by a son.

*FREDERIC TUDOR. Born February 11, 1845. Died at Lincoln, Mass., October 23, 1902.

SAMUEL HENDERSON VIRGIN. Born 1844.

He has continued to live in New York City. He is still Pastor Emeritus of Pilgrim Church. His wife died suddenly November 13, 1910.

CHARLES OUELLET (WELLET).

He writes under date of December 6, 1910: "You ask me to give you some information in regard to my life since leaving Cambridge, and I am really perplexed how to give such information. My life has been so uneventful that I have little to say of myself. At one time deeply in love with the Greek ideal, and wishing to free myself from all limitations, I became unable to follow any one of the ordinary occupations which would tend to limit or reduce my highest adjurations; so lacking the genius

of Greece and unable to produce something great, I have accomplished nothing; in a worldly point of view, I am a failure. It is a sad confession to make for one who was once so ambitious, who dreamt of incarnating or rather of expressing in his life the overman of Nietzsche to have reached old age with a complete effacement of all illusion; but if I have not attained success in a material way I have at least secured contentment, free from envy, being happy to learn that those who have commenced life with me have won a high position and been crowned at the Olympic Games."

JOSEPH HENRY WILLARD. Born February 28, 1844. He has been Colonel of United States Engineers in charge of fortifications on rivers and harbors, District of Narragansett, to February 28, 1908, when he was retired by operation of the law, — "a law," he writes, "passed some years ago by certain octogenarians in Senate and House of Representatives. I approve of the law, and yet I am feeling pretty young to-day, thank you, and not at all like an unprofitable servant. Have visited the Canal and work at Panama. The honor of organizing and making that work a success is due to the Corps of Engineers U. S. Army."

*ABBOTT POMEROY WINGATE. Born August 3, 1844. Died May 23, 1864.

SUMMARY

DEATHS

Joseph Emmons Briggs	May 4, 1867.
Francis Augustus Carpenter	December 7, 1867.
John Clark	July 22, 1870.
Samuel Quarles French	May 27, 1872.
George Frederic Emery	December 20, 1873.
Edward Tuckerman Wilkinson	December 27, 1873.
John Dominis Brewer	December 15, 1879.
Nathaniel Francis Bright	July 8, 1880.
Artemas Rogers Holden	March 15, 1884.
Edward Henry Clark	April 13, 1885.
Robert Mendum Otis	March 19, 1886.
Stephen Henry Stackpole	July 23, 1886.
William Levi Parker	November 30, 1888.
Nicholas Longworth	January 18, 1890.
George Greenleaf Pratt	May 3, 1890.
Claudius Marcellus Jones	January 24, 1892.
Frederick Dabney	July 24, 1892.
John Marshall Whittemore, Jr.	April 20, 1893.
James Walker Lovering	May 17, 1895.
Henry Rolfe	October 11, 1895.
Henry Marshall Tate	February 7, 1897.
Thomas Nelson	November 19, 1897.
Frederick John Brown	June 9, 1900.
John Henry Coppenhagen	August 31, 1900.
Elisha Dillingham Bangs	September 19, 1900.
Otis Liscome Leonard	May 11, 1903.
Frank Wright	June 16, 1903.
Charles Brooks Brigham	August 24, 1903.
Francis Calley Gray	February 13, 1904.
Marshall Paddock Stafford	October 29, 1904.
William Blaikie	December 6, 1904.
Edward Augustus Capen	February 4, 1905.
William George Tiffany	April 23, 1905.
Francis Benjamin Arnold	February 5, 1906.
Theodore Francis Wright	November 13, 1907.
John Ward Taylor	February 1, 1908.
Haslett McKim	June 4, 1908.
Theodore Minot Clark	April 30, 1909.

Allen Danforth	July 18, 1909.
Henry Waller Brinckerhoff	September 7, 1909.
George Conway Bent	October 4, 1909.
George Frederick Chace	February 24, 1910.
William Edward Skillings	June 25, 1910.
William Prescott Stoddard	August 18, 1910.
Francis Augustine Harris	January 18, 1911.
Edwin Farnham	April 16, 1911.

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MARRIAGES

(*Deceased)

Abbott	*Mary Goddard	April 21, 1869.
	*Abby Francis Woods	October 15, 1873.
	Maria Elizabeth Dexter	April 16, 1896.
Abercrombie	Julia A. Clapp	October 7, 1874.
*Arnold	Augusta Foote	March 6, 1869.
*Bangs	Georgianna Skillings	December 20, 1871.
Banker	*Alice A. Van Vliet	September 18, 1873.
Batchelor	Priscilla Cushing Stearns	September 18, 1866.
*Bent	Ellen Rutherford Foster	December 12, 1872.
*Blaikie	*Isabella Stewart Briggs	July 3, 1872.
	Rebecca Wilmot Scott	October 6, 1891.
Blair	*Mary Elizabeth Blake	September 29, 1868.
Boutwell	*Helen G. Willis	December 25, 1872.
	Jessie May Rogers	November 18, 1897.
*Brewer	Nannie Roberta Harris	April 27, 1872.
*Brigham	Alice Wyer Babcock	April 23, 1879.
*Bright	Helen Geneva Robinson	July 22, 1873.
*Brinckerhoff	*Edith Adelaide Barry	December 25, 1866.
*Capen	Ellen Marion Thomas	May 9, 1871.
Carpenter, J. E.	Emmie Louise Smith	October 31, 1894.
Case	*Catherine A. Burling	June 4, 1874.
Cate	*Bella Lane	July 1, 1875.
*Chace	Patia A. Howes	February 24, 1870.
*Clark, T. M.	Jeannette French	November 11, 1879.
*Coppenhagen	Lou Belle Embry	April 28, 1881.
Crowninshield	Helen Susette Fairbanks	October 27, 1867.
Curtis	*Martha McCook Davis	October 20, 1874.
	Netta Easter Blackwood	December 13, 1902.
*Dabney	*Isabelle G. Vezin	November 8, 1882.
*Danforth	Mabel Irene Walsh	October 21, 1899.
Derby	*Eunice Harlow Ransom	August 29, 1872.
	*Frances Gage Janney	December 27, 1883.
	Margaret Elizabeth Leonard	August 29, 1903.

Dixon	Ellen R. Burrage	May 20, 1873.
Drone	Marie Louise Meyers	September 21, 1872.
Dunbar	Mary Watson	July 11, 1872.
Dwight	Sarah Catherine Iasigi	September 18, 1883.
Emerson	Annie Shepard Keyes	September 19, 1874.
Farlow	Lilian Horsford	January 10, 1900.
*Farnham	*Caroline Bell Emery	June 4, 1867.
Fenno	Ellen Marion Bradlee	February 22, 1872.
Fiske	Caroline Child	October 27, 1870.
Flagg	Fanny W. Jewett	June 15, 1869.
Gale	Emma M. Whitman	March 28, 1872.
Garland	Kate Agnes Howard	September 14, 1869.
Goodman	Grace H. Griswold	June 11, 1873.
Greenleaf, R. C.	Adeline Emma Stone	June 21, 1870.
Gregg	Mary Needham	December 3, 1874.
*Harris	*Alice Gage	October 15, 1874.
	Helen Leonard	June 20, 1891.
Haskell	Florence E. Hayner	July 17, 1877.
Haskins	Amy Webster Field	April 30, 1907.
Hawes	Amelia Appleton Prendergast	October 14, 1873.
Leonard, A. M.	Helen Augusta Adams	December 28, 1898.
Littlefield	Emily F. Willis	February 8, 1870.
Longstreth	Mary O. Hastings	October 11, 1871.
*Longworth	Susan Walker	October 2, 1866.
Loud	Emily K. Vickery	November 7, 1872.
*Lovering	Susan Rockwell Dow	May 15, 1873.
McBurney	Margaret Willoughby Weston	October 8, 1874.
*McKim	Harriet R. Winthrop	September 15, 1870.
Mason	*Alice Grosvenor	June 27, 1867.
	*Emily Cozzens	July 6, 1887.
	Florence Angell	November 11, 1893.
Mayer	*Nina C. Stevens	November 24, 1869.
	Mary F. Lewis	May 11, 1875.
Murdock	Mary Margaret Shiland	December 29, 1880.
*Nelson	*Annie S. Bigelow	October 28, 1884.
Norton	*Lizzie N. Elder	December 4, 1872.
Osgood	*Jeannette Cabot Farley	April 15, 1868.
	June Bright	June 27, 1891.
*Otis	*Sarah Emma Hayes	March 11, 1868.
	Hannah Abbie Trefethen	October 22, 1870.
Parker, J. O.	Clara Maynard	June 17, 1868.
Peabody	*Annie Putnam	June 8, 1871.
Peirce	Christine A. Dunham	August 31, 1881.
Perkins	Jennie Watson	June 10, 1869.
Perry	Lilla Cabot	April 9, 1874.
*Pratt	*Lucretia B. Moulton	September 11, 1880.
Putnam	Marian Cabot	February 15, 1886.
Robinson	Ellen Frances Lord	November 15, 1869.
*Rolfe	Helena Hanak	April 20, 1884.

SARGENT	*Henrietta P. Hall	January 25, 1869.
SHAW	*Carrie Maria Stevenson	April 5, 1876.
SHORTLIDGE	*M. Jennie Johnson	March 12, 1874.
	*Marie Dixon Jones	November 15, 1893.
*SKILLINGS	Katherine Davis	June 20, 1876.
*STACKPOLE	*Julia Langley Faunce	October 18, 1871.
STODDARD, F. R.	Mary F. Baldwin	April 8, 1868.
*STODDARD, W. P.	Annie C. Farris	April 21, 1870.
STOREY	Gertrude Cutts	January 6, 1870.
*TATE	Amelia M. Strickland	January 14, 1869.
*TAYLOR	*Mary Amelia Benedict	October 13, 1869.
	Laurence Benoit	March 26, 1895.
THORNDIKE	Florence Greenough	June 4, 1878.
*TIFFANY	Mary Virginia Smith	July 21, 1888.
UNDERWOOD	*Clara Isabella Babbitt	January 15, 1880.
VINTON	Emma Frances Mills	October 11, 1872.
WARD	Sophia Read Howard	May, 1872.
WATSON	Susan Mathilda Hoffman	October 17, 1882.
WELLES	Armandine Giffault	September 1, 1869.
WHEELER	Elizabeth Bancroft Cheever	November 23, 1897.
*WHITTEMORE	*Louise Adams Kelsey	June 3, 1869.
WRIGHT, E. W.	Mary Elizabeth Spencer	June 20, 1880.
*WRIGHT, F.	*Fanny R. Pell	April 23, 1867.
	Julia Floyd-Jones	October 22, 1900.
*WRIGHT, T. F.	*Harriet S. Chapman	April 6, 1868.
	Pamelia Keith	December 4, 1879.

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BIRTHS OF CHILDREN

(*Deceased)

ABBOTT	Helen Francis	July 29, 1874.
	Madeline Livermore	November 2, 1876.
	Ann Francis	September 8, 1878.
	Caroline Livermore	April 25, 1880.
ABERCROMBIE	Daniel Putnam	December 19, 1875.
	Frederick Clapp	September 19, 1882.
	Alice Clapp	May 15, 1891.
*ARNOLD	*Benjamin Foote	December 29, 1870.
	*Francis	March 30, 1872.
	Henry Newton	September 11, 1873.
	Frances	December 2, 1874.
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*BANGS	Mary Leslie	August 15, 1873.
BANKER	Sarah Mildred	October 20, 1874.
	Alice Bessie Christina	December 25, 1875.

BANKER	Lyman Van Vilet	September 30, 1877.
	Addie A.	November 21, 1880.
	William Franklin Clark	December 27, 1883.
BATCHELOR	EDITH, RECEIVED THE CLASS CRADLE,	October 31, 1867.
	Mary Axford	December 10, 1869.
	Ethel Stearns	August 27, 1872.
	Ellen Thaxter	July 29, 1877.
	Chauncy Cushing	May 29, 1879.
*BENT	Bessie Conway	May 21, 1874.
*BLAIKIE	Rachel Briggs	April 19, 1873.
	Cameron	September 15, 1874.
	Lillias Stone	October 28, 1875.
	Julia	March 17, 1879.
	Stewart	April 6, 1881.
	Mary Kerr	November 5, 1883.
BLAIR	*Louis Gorham	September 19, 1869.
	Edward Blake	July 23, 1871.
BOUTWELL	John Mason	May 1, 1874.
	Alice Bradford	January 5, 1882.
*BREWER	Charles	March 8, 1873.
	Arthur Harris	November 20, 1874.
	Martha Davis	April 23, 1877.
	Robert Edward	July 12, 1878.
*BRIGHAM	Alice Wyer	January 18, 1880.
	William Babcock	July 27, 1881.
	Kate Duer	December 7, 1882.
*BRINCKERHOFF	Henry Waller	July 6, 1869.
	*Edith Winship	July 15, 1870.
	*Mary Gordon	May 11, 1873.
	*Philip Bradford	May 2, 1881.
	Florence Emily	July 30, 1883.
*CAPEN	Randall Thomas	July 26, 1872.
	Edward William	February 10, 1875.
	Lucretia Augusta Marston	March 16, 1876.
CASE	May Burling	February 22, 1876.
	Sarah Albertson	August, 1878.
CATE	*May Marguerite	May 2, 1877.
*CHACE	Blanche Rosamond	August 26, 1871.
	Frederic Irving	April 24, 1874.
*CLARK, T. M.	Austin Hobart	December 17, 1880.
	Rosamond	May 12, 1882.
	Mildred	September 14, 1888.
CROWNINSHIELD	Helen Susette	July 29, 1868.
	Edward Augustus	April 7, 1870.
	Frances Welch	June, 1872.
DERBY	Florence Harlow	November 8, 1873.
	Alice Greenwood	October 24, 1878.
	*Walter Janney	October 23, 1884.

Derby	*Dorothy Francis	May 2, 1889.
	Margaret Leonard	January 2, 1905.
Dixon	Roland Burrage	November 6, 1875.
Drone	*Douglas	July 10, 1873.
	*William	February 28, 1875.
Dwight	Joseph	August 4, 1884.
	Sarah Catherine	July 31, 1885.
	Mary Collins	April 17, 1887.
	Margaret	January 24, 1889.
	Helen	June 7, 1891.
	*Laurence	August 5, 1892.
	Florence	April 17, 1894.
	*John Warren	May 11, 1895.
Emerson	*William	July 11, 1875.
	*Charles Lowell	July 3, 1876.
	*John	January 6, 1878.
	Ellen Tucker	April 28, 1880.
	*Florence	October 29, 1882.
	*William Forbes	May 26, 1884.
	Raymond	November 28, 1886.
*Farnham	Edwin Emery	July 30, 1868.
	Lydia Raguet	September 22, 1869.
	*Benjamin Armstrong	November 4, 1870.
	*James Woodward	February 5, 1872.
Fenno	Henry Bradlee	August 10, 1873.
	Edward Nicoll	March 28, 1875.
	Marion Hilles	October 11, 1878.
Fiske	Philip Sidney	September 7, 1872.
	Annette	October 13, 1873.
	Marguerite	January 28, 1876.
Flagg	George	March 12, 1870.
	Charles J.	May 25, 1874.
	*Henry Whiting	July 3, 1877.
Gale	Lyman Whitman	January 1, 1873.
	*George Ephraim	June 14, 1876.
	Mary Wakefield	May 11, 1878.
Garland	William Howard	August 14, 1871.
	Catherine Morrison	March 24, 1874.
	Louise	November 13, 1876.
	Charles	November 29, 1878.
Goodman	William	July 8, 1874.
Greenleaf, R. C.	*Marion Constance	June 17, 1871.
	Lewis Stone	July 26, 1872.
	*Richard Cranch	January 24, 1874.
	Alice Cameron	July 15, 1875.
	John	June 2, 1878.
	Richard Cranch	November 15, 1887.
Gregg	James Edgar	November 24, 1875.
	Mary Faith	March 23, 1877.

Gregg	Donald	June 4, 1880.
	Marjorie True	March 3, 1883.
	Richard Bartlett	February 13, 1885.
	Eleanor Delight	May 31, 1886.
	Alan	July 11, 1889.
Haskell	John Abraham	November 28, 1878.
	*Lucy Jane	July 29, 1880.
	*Florence Ellen	February 16, 1894.
Haskins	David Greene	January 26, 1910.
Littlefield	Gertrude E.	January 8, 1871.
*Longworth	Nicholas	November 5, 1869.
	Annie Rives	December 11, 1880.
	Clara E.	1873.
	*Bryant	1875.
Loud	John Hermann	August 26, 1873.
	Oliver Blanchard	March 5, 1875.
	Ralph White	August 22, 1876.
	Martha Alice	May 4, 1878.
	*Warren	February 15, 1880.
	*Sarah Emily	December 30, 1884.
	Helen Frances	April 16, 1886.
	Roger Perkins	September 19, 1888.
*Lovering	Annie D.	February 20, 1874.
	Arthur	August 13, 1875.
	Nina Harriman	November 24, 1876.
	Joseph	August 29, 1879.
	Elinor	August 29, 1881.
	Susan Rockwell	August 14, 1886.
McBurney	Henry	July 13, 1875.
	Alice	January 15, 1877.
	Malcolm	March 31, 1884.
*McKim	Winthrop	July 31, 1872.
	Le Roy	September 1, 1874.
	Alice Marston	February 16, 1876.
Mayer	Christine Stevens	December 7, 1870.
	George Lewis	August 7, 1876.
	Ethel M.	November 18, 1878.
	Henry Christian	July, 1883.
Murdock	Uriel Atwood	October 20, 1881.
*Nelson	Annie Victoire Adelaide	March 8, 1891.
Norton	John L.	October 27, 1873.
	George B.	September 30, 1875.
	Lizzie Elder	March 5, 1877.
Osgood	George Laurie	April 5, 1869.
	Farley	April 5, 1874.
	Marie Jeannette	April 9, 1877.
	*Lowell	January 5, 1894.
	*Eric	November 10, 1895.
	John Lowell	September 24, 1901.

Osgood	Hamilton	September 14, 1907.
*Otis	Sarah Emma	February 11, 1869.
	Robert Mendum	December 26, 1874.
	*Delano	September 19, 1876.
Parker, J. O.	James Alfred	May 30, 1869.
	*Maynard	January 5, 1874.
Peabody	*Ellen	June 30, 1872.
	*Arthur John	January 5, 1875.
	Katherine Putnam	January 3, 1877.
	Mary Derby	January 28, 1881.
	Robert Ephraim	February 18, 1887.
Peirce	Stuart	August 3, 1882.
Perkins	Thomas Nelson	May 6, 1870.
	*Elliott	October 23, 1873.
	James Handasyd	January 11, 1876.
	John Forbes	March, 1878.
Perry	Margaret La Farge	November 13, 1876.
	Edith	October 5, 1880.
	Alice	September 21, 1883.
*Pratt	Charles Arthur	July 27, 1882.
	George E.	January 31, 1884.
Putnam	*Charles Pickering	March 25, 1887.
	Elizabeth Cabot	February 21, 1888.
	James Jackson	September 16, 1890.
	Marian Cabot	April 9, 1893.
	Louisa Higginson	February 1, 1895.
	Frances Cabot	October 20, 1897.
Robinson	Annie Maud	August 17, 1870.
	William Roland	December 25, 1872.
	*Mabelle Louise	November 13, 1876.
	George Lord	November 10, 1880.
*Rolfe	Henry Hanak	March 20, 1885.
Sargent	*Edward Hall	November 13, 1869.
	William Story	December 30, 1875.
Shaw	Frederick Pierpont	June 13, 1877.
	Annie	February 23, 1880.
Shortlidge	*Amelia Chandler	November 5, 1874.
	*Stella	June 19, 1876.
	Swithin C.	October 4, 1877.
	*Helen	January 22, 1879.
	Lucretia Mott	November 8, 1880.
	Wentworth Hatton	1881.
	Raphael Johnson	1883.
	Ernest Lynn	1885.
*Skillings	William E.	July 16, 1877.
	Marjorie	October 8, 1879.
	Dorothy Katherine	October 15, 1893.
*Stackpole	Markham Winslow	June 5, 1873.
	Pierpont Langley	February 16, 1875

*Stackpole . . .	Stephen Theodore	October 14, 1885.
Stoddard, F. R. .	Mary Baldwin	January 22, 1869.
	*Martha Le Baron	September 6, 1870.
	Francis Russell	July 26, 1877.
*Stoddard, W. P.	*Prescott Farris	April 19, 1871.
	Mary Carver	June 25, 1873.
	Elizabeth Farris	October 23, 1876.
	Ellen Jeanette	September 1, 1880.
Storey	Elizabeth Moorfield	February 16, 1871.
	Gertrude Lucy.	October 21, 1872.
	Richard Cutts	April 30, 1875.
	Katharine	December 30, 1879.
	Charles Moorfield	March 4, 1889.
*Tate	Carrie Josephine	February 12, 1870.
	Gertrude Amelia	August 15, 1871.
	*Susie Frances	January 24, 1873.
	Winifred	July 2, 1886.
*Taylor	Hattie Benedict	November 24, 1870.
Thorndike . . ,	Olivia.	November 9, 1879.
	John Richard	May 19, 1882.
	Alice	November 8, 1886.
Vinton	*Helen Mills	October 6, 1874.
	Mabel Laurinda	April 16, 1880.
	*Stanley	October 8, 1881.
Ward	Elizabeth Howard	August 7, 1873.
	George Cabot	March 17, 1875.
	Howard Ridgely	November 10, 1881
Watson	Henry Lee	November 25, 1883
	Mary Elmendorf	November 6, 1886.
	Eugene Augustus Hoffman	February 5, 1889.
Wheeler	Bancroft Cheever	June 6, 1899.
	Leonard	July 20, 1901.
	Eunice	September 25, 1903.
	Nathaniel	June 20, 1906.
*Whittemore . .	Francis Lee	May 6, 1871.
	James Kelsey	April 13, 1875.
	Wyman	April 6, 1879.
Wright, E. W. . .	Eleanor May	January 12, 1886.
	Wentworth Spencer	January 8, 1889.
	Hunt	March 30, 1895.
*Wright, F. . . .	Mabel	October 30, 1869.

Total number of children, 251,—Boys, 131; Girls, 120.

OUR FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY

At half-past eleven on Tuesday, the day before Commencement, a special car took a large delegation of the Class, including wives, children, and grandchildren, to Lincoln. We were met at the station by Storey, and conveyed to his house, where we were entertained most pleasantly by Storey and his family until late in the afternoon, when we returned to Boston, and at half-past seven, forty-two (exactly the same number as in 1896 and as in 1901) sat down to dinner at the Exchange Club. Grace was said by Batchelor, our Class chaplain. The Class Song and Fair Harvard were sung, and short informal speeches were made by every one that there was time to call upon. Some verses were read by Fiske, which you will find printed herewith, and also a speech which was not made by Batchelor because he claimed his privilege as the oldest living member to get to bed by midnight. A resolution of thanks to Storey and all the members of his family for their kindness, courtesy, and hospitality, was passed with much enthusiasm.

On Wednesday morning, Commencement Day, a large party went out in five automobiles at half-past ten, starting from the corner of Beacon and Park Streets, opposite the State House, going over the continuous parkway from the Public Garden to Marine Park, City Point, South Boston, taking in on the way the Arnold Arboretum and Franklin Park. From Marine Park a direct route was taken to Cambridge, where we met at Farlow's house on Quincy Street, by his kind invitation, and partook of the usual spread provided by the Class Fund, including *nectar deorum*, which Farnham alone can brew.

The photograph taken at Lincoln proves to be excellent, and any one who wishes a copy of it can obtain it by sending $1.90 to William A. Webster, 111 Moody Street, Waltham, Mass., which is the price of the picture, including express prepaid to places near Boston. The price of the picture is $1.75. The Secretary is obliged to add a short list of *errata* for the Class Report.

In the addresses of the Class, *Banker* should be 19 *Cottage Side, Dorchester.*

On page 41 the "Dr." should be removed from before McBurney's name, and the word "Surgery" substituted for "Law." This slip of the Secretary is not calculated to mislead.

To the list of children should be added, for Putnam, Frances Cabot Putnam, born October 20, 1897 (for this omission her father must share the blame with the Secretary), and Nathaniel Wheeler, born June 20, 1906. Wheeler was too modest to permit a public announcement of this at Commencement.

CLASS FUND

The assets of the Class are: —

Fifteen Shares Hill Manufacturing Co. at 115	$1725.
Eight Shares American Telephone & Telegraph Co. at 148 . .	1184.
Cash on hand	575.58
Total	$3484.58

Our liabilities are the expenses of the Class Supper and Class Report of this year

FINANCIAL STATEMENT — *June*, 1906–*June*, 1911.

Received from subscriptions	$1363.50
Interest and dividends	830.30
Expenses of Class Report, 1906	343.88
Expenses of Class Supper, 1906	246.70
Expenses of Class Album, 1906	1165.41
Commencement expenses, 1906–1910, and sundries	376.92
Paid Harvard Alumni Association, 1908, 1909, 1910, ...	150.00

FORTY YEARS AGO

In twoscore years since we've been grads
  There's been much shifting of the scenes;
They're grandsires now who then were lads,
  Emerging beardless from their teens.
Now there are bristly chins that then were smooth,
  And shiny crowns where naught can grow
That bore the hirsute crop of youth
  In days of forty years ago.

It is not outward change alone
  That all these flying years have wrought;
Some foolish ones have wiser grown,
  And some proved weaker than we thought.
Some brilliant hopes have faded out,
  And some attained a brighter glow;
A few have wandered from the route
  Before them forty years ago.

Though partial Fortune smiled on some,
  To others gave her sternest frown,
The most to good repute have come
  And modest worth's obscure renown.
Not fame or gold yields life success,
  But faithful deeds in weal or woe;
With their reward may Fortune bless
  That band of forty years ago.

While now we gaze through memory's eyes
  Across that wide expanse of years
To where a golden glamour lies,
  The faded picture reappears.
We see those grave and learned men
  Who strove to make us think and know,
Appearing now as they looked then,
  Although 't is forty years ago.

They have to us the selfsame look, —
Lank Bowen's face, and Torrey's mild,
The nervous jerk of Jopy Cooke,
Hyperion curls of Stubby Child;
Shy Goodwin, seeming not at ease,
But lynx-eyed Lane entirely so,
The antique head of Sophocles,
The same as forty years ago.

There stands again the prosy prex,
To sermonize irreverent boys;
There Jimmy Mills's problems vex
And many a tutor's task annoys.
In Peabo's face the saintly gleam
Still radiates its kindly glow,
While lesser lights more genial seem
By far than forty years ago.

Our studies then were serious work,
And we were told what we must do;
It was not easy then to shirk,
And courses soft were mighty few.
The college bell's imperious voice
Let every lagging student know
At duty's post he had no choice;
'T was "Be there" forty years ago.

Though things were made a little tough,
And much was thought of discipline,
Of fun and sport there was enough,
And seldom did we fail to win.
They were not making athletes then,
Or gilding youth for outward show,
But building up the minds of men
For service, forty years ago.

Ah, well, perhaps we've reached the time
When things look best in other days,
And voices are disposed to chime
In glorifying ancient ways;
And yet one thought the truth compels,
One thing must be forever so,
'T is solid character that tells,
The same as forty years ago.

Though memory loves this rearward view,
  A steadfast gaze we'll ever fix
On what in front remains to do
  For valiant souls of Sixty-six.
Though, as the demi-decades pass,
  Our ranks may thin and thinner grow,
That blazon still illumes the class,
  As bright as forty years ago.

A. K. Fiske.

FROM THE SPEECH BATCHELOR DID NOT MAKE

Mr. Chairman, Class Secretary, my dear Stratton, — You are the youngest man in the class and I the eldest. From the remoteness of antiquity, then, I may assume the right to address you and give you some of the results of my experience in the ten years since I passed the age at which you now come to this meeting. I am known among my friends as "the irrational optimist." To prove my right to that title I gave you this morning a calculation (based, it seems, on insufficient data). But, being informed that about twenty per cent. of the Class had died in the last forty years, I immediately solved a problem in proportion. With eighty remaining and twenty deaths in forty years, it will be one hundred and sixty years from this time before you, Sir, will pass away, the youngest and last surviving member of the famous Class of 1866.

I had various other confessions and charges to give you, but I will refrain, saying only that last week my eye fell upon a hymn written for the graduation of the Class, which no human eye but mine has ever seen. I lacked the courage to offer it to the committee forty years ago. It may be that I will bring it out when fifty years have passed.

Next Tuesday I celebrate my seventieth birthday, and I wish to say to you, my young friend, that, having passed over the ten years which separate us, I have to testify that, since I was the age at which you now are, my health has steadily improved. I work with greater ease and am more able to endure mental fatigue than I was at that time. I cheerfully testify that these ten years are not second, if they are not superior, to any period of ten years which I lived before the age of sixty. As I stand now on the summit, in advance of the other members of the Class, I look forward as cheerfully as I did ten years ago. I may not have ten years more of such happiness and activity; but, whatever comes, whether in the body or out of the body, I care little

I am sure that the best years are before me, and for you who are younger than I, and for all of us, I would repeat the last line of our Class Hymn that we have just sung, "Sixty-six goes forth to-day," as meant not for the day forty years ago, but for this very day of grace in the year 1906. Before you are your best years, the most fruitful, — if you have lived as you ought to live up to this time, — the happiest, and the years that will bring you in quietness and peace the rewards of your toil. Therefore, with hope undiminished, with courage unfaltering, with the cheerfulness which no disaster can dispel, I say, and I ask you to join heartily with me in saying, "Sixty-six goes forth to-day!"

Present at Storey's, Lincoln, June 26, 1906.

Moorfield Storey
Gertrude Storey
Gertrude S. Burke
Annie P. Peabody
Theodore F. Wright
Katharine Donald
James J. Putnam
Marjorie T. Gregg
James E. Gregg
Donald Gregg
Richard B. Gregg
Annie C. Stoddard
Ellen J. Stoddard
William P. Stoddard
George Batchelor
John J. Loud
J. Henry Watson
Justin E. Gale
Emma W. Gale
James B. Gregg
Edmund W. Wright
Bancroft Wheeler
Winship Brinckerhoff
Edwin E. Farnham
Dudley Mills
David G. Haskins, Jr.
Amy Webster Field
Rebecca Aldrich
Malcolm Donald
Annette Fiske
Charles E. Stratton
George A. Kettell
Elizabeth M. Swett
Mrs. James E. Carpenter
James Emerson Carpenter
Marguerite Fiske
George F. Chace
Edward W. Emerson
Ethel Mills
Ottilie de Tothmière Mills
Kate H. Garland
Katharine P. Peabody
W. J. Ladd
Mary D. Peabody
Amos M. Leonard
William A. Hayes, 2d
H. W. Brinckerhoff
Florence Brinckerhoff Hanford
A'ys Swift Brinckerhoff
Elizabeth Cabot Putnam
Eleanor Ladd Clark
Mary N. Gregg
Elinor D. Gregg
Robert W. Lovett
Elton Clark
Charles Storey
Robert E. Peabody
Roberta Willard
Gertrude Lovett
Emily V. Loud
Helen F. Loud
Mary F. Stoddard
Dorothy E. Willard
Alfred C. Vinton
Emma F. Vinton
Benson B. Banker
Margaret Dwight
Mary C. Dwight
Sarah C. Dwight
Susan B. Cutts
Anna W. Ladd
Elizabeth C. Banker
Adelaide Banker
Ellen T. Emerson, 2d
Lilian H. Farlow
Annie S. Emerson
Louise Garland
Katherine G. Vilas
John D. Williams
James W. Hawes

Helen Dwight
Natalia Willard
Robert S. Peabody
Eurena G. Brinkerhoff
Billy
Francis R. Stoddard
John J. Loud
Ella Graeme Willard
Edward Nicoll Fenno
M. A. Underwood
Thomas Dwight
Joseph H. Willard
A. K. Fiske
J. Hampden Robb
John V. Apthorp
W. G. Farlow
Leonard Wheeler
William H. Garland
James S. Garland
Richard C. Storey
Alex H. Ladd
E. J. Burke
H. M. Cutts, M.D.
William P. Blake
Edwin Farnham
Caroline B. Farnham
Lydia R. Farnham
Florence C. Farnham

Present at Class Dinner, June 26, 1906.

Theodore F. Wright
Francis A. Harris
Edmund W. Wright
Joseph H. Willard
G. A. Flagg
D. P. Abercrombie
A. K. Fiske
George E. Littlefield
D. G. Haskins, Jr.
George A. Kettell
George Batchelor
John D. Williams
John J. Loud
William P. Blake
William P. Stoddard
Moorfield Storey
Francis R. Stoddard
James W. Hawes
Edward W. Emerson
James S. Garland
Benson B. Banker
Alfred C. Vinton
Haslett McKim
Lewis S. Dixon
George F. Chace
James J. Putnam
J. Henry Watson
Thomas Dwight
Justin E. Gale
James B. Gregg
H. W. Brinckerhoff
Edward N. Fenno
Amos M. Leonard
W. G. Farlow
W. A. Haskell
Robert S. Peabody
James Emerson Carpenter
William A. Hayes, 2d
M. A. Underwood
Charles E. Stratton
J. Hampden Robb

Present at Commencement, June 27, 1906.

James S. Garland
Edward W. Emerson
James J. Putnam
John J. Loud
M. A. Underwood
Thomas Dwight
Alfred C. Vinton
George Batchelor
Robert S. Peabody
Moorfield Storey
Edwin Farnham
D. P. Abercrombie
Edmund W. Wright
Theodore F. Wright
James W. Hawes
George F. Chace
H. W. Brinckerhoff
Justin E. Gale
Benson B. Banker
William P. Stoddard
George E. Littlefield
Amos M. Leonard
Amos K. Fiske
James Emerson Carpenter
John Henry Watson
Francis A. Harris
John D. Williams
Henry F. Buswell
James B. Gregg
W. G. Farlow
David G. Haskins, Jr.
W. A. Haskell
G. A. Flagg
William A. Hayes, 2d
Edward F. Peirce
George A. Kettell
William P. Blake
Charles E. Stratton